

DEPUTIES LOSE FIGHT TO COLLECT FEES FOR SERVICE

CLINTON MAN RESPONSIBLE FOR CONVICT

Iowa Man Admits He Assumed Charge Under Fraud

Clinton, Iowa, Dec. 12.—(AP)—H. C. Oakes, parole officer of Clinton, accepted parole responsibilities for Ira D. Perry, Jr., Chicago, without knowing that Perry had been convicted of murder, he said today. He believed he was assuming parole for a robber and has asked the Illinois authorities to relieve him of responsibility for the fugitive, on the ground that the parole was accepted through fraud.

Comments on the fraud raised in Illinois over Perry's disappearance, Oakes said the youth's father had prevailed upon him to become sponsor for his son by representing him as a convicted robber and promising that he would travel for the Oakes firm in Iowa.

The elder Perry and the son were in Clinton late last month, but Mr. Oakes does not know their present whereabouts.

Perry is sought on robbery charges reinstated against him in Chicago when his release from the state penitentiary after serving three years of a life sentence became known.

ARREST TWO PAROLED

Chicago, Dec. 12.—(AP)—Robert McMullen, convicted of burglary and robbery, and John Grinsley, convicted three times of burglary, both thought to be serving prison terms, were arrested by police here early today. A third man also believed to be a former convict and gangster who was with the men, escaped.

Police records show that the two men had been returned to the Joliet penitentiary for violation of paroles granted Nov. 6. Unable to ascertain how the men happened to be at liberty, the police started communications with officials of the parole board and penitentiary.

NO RECORD OF ONE
Springfield, Ill., Dec. 12.—(AP)—No record could be found by the state division of pardons and paroles this morning of any parole ever granted John Grinsley, who was re-arrested in Chicago early today.

Regarding Robert McMullen, the other man re-arrested, the records showed that he was first paroled February 21, 1925 and paroled again Nov. 3, and that he is rightfully on parole now. There was no entry on the books indicating he had been returned to the Illinois penitentiary November 6.

Leviathan's Captain

Officers at Wedding

Southampton, Eng., Dec. 12.—(AP)—John L. Stewart, of Detroit, from Cherbourg sent to Miss Catherine Forbes of Portland, Oregon, on board the Leviathan in mid-Atlantic this morning.

"Will you marry me on the Leviathan?"

"Yes," came back the reply.

Mr. Stewart joined the Leviathan at Cherbourg and while the vessel was coming to Southampton he and Miss Forbes were married by Captain Herbert Hartley of the steamer.

The captain had breakfast served in his cabin and also surprised the couple by producing a wedding cake for their benefit.

It was the fourth marriage performed by Captain Hartley on the Leviathan during the present year.

Says Bankers' League

Seeks One Tax's Doom

Washington, Dec. 12.—(AP)—The flat charge that the "American Bankers' League" had been organized to destroy all inheritance tax laws, both state and federal, was before the house during debate on the tax bill today.

By Representative Connally, democrat of Texas, during an attack on the activities of the Texas tax assessor, the league was charged with attempting to "intimidate the heads of the ways and means committee." Chairman Green and Representative Garner, democrat, Texas.

"Uncle Joe" Declares He

Never Felt Better Before

Danville, Ill., Dec. 12.—(AP)—"Uncle Joe" Cannon was purchasing a handful of cigars at a drug store half a block from his home this noon when a newspaper man complimented him on his fine appearance.

"Haven't felt better in months," he declared as he puffed his hand down in a box of the blackest cigars the clerk could find.

INSIST ROCKNE HAS SIGNED UP WITH COLUMBIA

Football Wizard May Leave Notre Dame Report Denied

New York, Dec. 12.—(12)—James R. Knapp, chairman of the football committee of Columbia University, said today that Columbia "stands pat behind its original statement" of last night announcing that Knute Rockne of Notre Dame had signed a three year contract as head football coach at Columbia.

Football authorities at Notre Dame however, say that Rockne has assured them he has not signed with Columbia and will continue to coach Notre Dame.

Father Matthew Walsh, president of Notre Dame said today at South Bend, Ind., that Rockne had telephoned him from Philadelphia to deny positively the announcement made at Columbia last evening.

REPORT IS DENIED
Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 12.—(AP)—J. M. Byrne of New York, eastern representative of Notre Dame University said here today that Knute Rockne will remain at Notre Dame and will not go to Columbia University.

Rockne left for New York early today. Byrne said the Notre Dame coach had come to Philadelphia to see the "Four Horsemen" combination play the Pottsville football team at Shibe Park today.

Ben K. Peacock, Former Dixonite, Dies in Michigan

Ben K. Peacock, a former resident of Dixon, who left here eight years ago, and who had returned to his home in Niles, Mich., but a week ago, after a visit with relatives and friends here, died suddenly at his home in Niles, Thursday, death resulting from a stroke of apoplexy. Funeral services will be held at Niles, where Mr. Peacock was a successful builder and contractor, at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, with burial in the cemetery at that place.

The deceased is survived by his widow, two sons, Louis and Lyle of Niles, Mich., his mother, Mrs. Clara Peacock of Dixon; two sisters, Mrs. George Nettz of Dixon and Mrs. Wilbur Sargent of Denver, Colo.; and many friends.

Confessed Bank Robbers Plead Guilty: Sentenced

Sullivan, Ill., Dec. 12.—(AP)—True Gibson of Mattoon and Guy Winterrowd of Effingham county, who have confessed several bank robberies, entered pleas of guilty in the Moultrie county circuit court Saturday forenoon, when arraigned under indictments, charging them with robbery of the Lake City Bank, Sept. 18, last.

Will County Supervisors to T. B. Cattle Campaign
Joliet.—The county board of supervisors voted an appropriation of \$4,000 for a county veterinarian to test cattle for tuberculosis next year.

THE WEATHER

NOW THAT THE COOKING OF THE THANKSGIVING DINNER IS OVER, MOTHER HAS MUCH TO BE THANKFUL FOR.



SATURDAY, Dec. 12, 1925

By Associated Press Local Wire

Illinois: Mostly fair in south, unsettled in north portion tonight and Sunday; colder tonight in extreme north and slightly warmer in extreme south east portion; colder Sunday in north portion.

Chicago and Vicinity: Mostly cloudy and unsettled tonight and Sunday; coldest temperature tonight about 25; winds mostly from northwest.

Wisconsin: Mostly cloudy and unsettled tonight and Sunday; considerably colder tonight and in southeast portion Sunday.

Iowa: Mostly cloudy tonight and Sunday; colder tonight and in south portion Sunday.

FORECAST FOR NEXT WEEK

Washington, Dec. 12.—(AP)—Weather outlook for the week beginning Monday:

Region of the Great Lakes: Shows about Tuesday and again latter part; temperature below normal.

Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valleys: Shows over north and rains or snows over south portion Monday and again latter part; otherwise generally fair; temperature below normal most of week.

FINAL FOOTBALL FUNCTION FOR D. H. S. THIS EVENING

Annual Banquet of Team to be Held at Y. M. C. A. Tonight

Dixon's high school football team, champions of the Rock River Conference this year, will assemble this evening at the annual football banquet which will be served to the squad, members of the faculty and students at the Y. M. C. A. Following the banquet, Irwin Uteritz, who was selected as quarter-back on Walter Camp's 1923 All-American team, will be heard. He is now assistant coach of the University of Wisconsin football squad.

With the presentation of the purple and white "D" at the banquet, the following seniors will end football days for the D. H. S. Captain Gus Bondi possibly was as fine a tackle as there is in the conference. There were few things that he did not know about tackle play and in many games he was the outstanding man on the Dixon line. He will make good on almost any college team.

Gordon McNeil is a versatile runner, he hits the line hard and has made a good man for "sliding around the corner" on off-tackle plays. He has a good toe for kicking and is always watching the game. He will make good on the average college team.

"Wink" Outstanding Back.
Winston ("Wink") McReynolds has been the outstanding man for the D. H. S. backfield during the past three years. He was always to be counted upon for ground gaining runs of the sensational type. "Wink" will be heard of more during the next four years.

"Bill" Johnson, the big fellow with the educated toe, will be hard to replace another year. He could play both end and tackle with equal ability. "Bill" will be heard of next year from Carthage College.

Rheinhold Kerst, who was switched from center to guard two years ago, has developed into one of the best men ever put out by the D. H. S. He was a hard player, always giving all that he had for the team. He should be heard of in the future.

"Chuck" Keyes was a field general of marked ability for a high school team. He could run, pass or kick with equal ability. He was quick to sense the weak spots of the opponent's line and to make the best of them.

George O'Malley, playing his second year of football, showed flashes of ability at different times during the season and had been out during his freshman and sophomore years, would have been of much more value to the team.

Neil Reagan, playing at end, was a good man at receiving passes and was the star of the team on "talk-in" his opponents out of the play. Harold Coss has been one of the old "stand bays" at end, having played that position for four years. As all good players he played his best game this year and his wing position will be hard to fill another year.

Dozen Shots Fired at Murder of Gable

Galesburg, Ill., Dec. 12.—(AP)—Twelve or fifteen shots were fired when William Gable was slain in front of his saloon at midnight July 31, 1922, William Dittman, former bartender for Gable, testified this morning in the trial here of John Looney for the saloonkeeper's murder.

More alleged victims of Looney testified as to Looney's activities in 1922 when he is said to have been the head of a huge vice ring. Details brought out by previous witnesses, especially regarding dates, were corroborated.

The "inner workings" of the alleged vice ring were told yesterday by Policemen from the Rock Island force. They charged that Chief Tom Cox worked hand in hand with Looney, making the latter's position of "king of the underworld" possible.

Little Tag Day Girls Lost Their Gloves Today

Two of the willing little workers in this afternoon's Associated Charities-Salvation Army tag day lost their gloves. The finders will make these girls happy and will prove that to do good should carry no penalty by returning the gloves to The Evening Telegraph office. This paper will see that they are returned to their owners.

Judge Cliffe Closes Up Twenty-eight Wet Places

Chicago, Dec. 12.—(AP)—Seventeen permanent and eleven temporary injunctions were issued today by Federal Judge Cliffe against places alleged to be violating the prohibition law. Among the out of Chicago places closed by permanent injunction was that of Roy Terwilliger, owner of the Derby Inn south of Aurora in Lane county.

ON STATE BOARD

Springfield—Dr. Henry Chandler Cowles of the University of Chicago, 56, who yesterday walked out of St. Vincent's Hospital, carrying in his head \$4,000 worth of radium needles used in treating him for cancer.

Community House Planned at Dixon Beach on Court Oreilles, Wis. Lake Chain

Great Opportunity for Lovers of Life in Great Outdoors

The lots being offered by The Telegraph on Dixon Beach on the Court Oreilles chain of lakes in northern Wisconsin should interest anyone who likes a taste of outdoor life in the summer time, because of their accessibility for Dixon people and the ideal location and surroundings. They lie between two of the largest and most beautiful lakes in the chain, Court Oreilles and Grindstone lakes, and there will be lake frontage rights on both lakes for all lot owners. Dixon Beach will be the property of the man who owns a lot midway between the two lakes as well as the owner of a lake front lot, for a space along the shores has been reserved for public use and no lots will run down to the water's edge.

Ideal for Bathing.
There are beautiful beaches of sand and gravel and they run far out into the lake before becoming too deep for wading, making an ideal spot for bathing, safe for the youngsters and beginners in swimming, etc. The water is clear as crystal and the right temperature for bathing in the summer.

The Telegraph sent a representative to the lakes to make a careful investigation before going into the position, because we wanted to be in a position to assure prospective lot owners that their purchase was all right and worth the money.

The land lies high and there is no swampy ground. It is covered with second growth timber, having been logged many years ago and the second growth pine and hardwood is of good size and very satisfactory. There is a sprinkling of virgin Norway pine, towering to the sky, and some original white pine. The banks along the lake are high, running from 15 feet to 30 feet above the lake level.

Lakes Never Have "Bloom"
We are assured that these lakes never have the "bloom" or green scum that frequently comes on some lakes due to the vegetable growth in the bottom, as these lakes are "clear" lakes and have no weedy growth. There is splendid muskie and bass fishing in Grindstone, with these fish and also pike and many smaller varieties in Court Oreilles, and pike, trout and bass, etc. in surrounding streams and lakes Spring Lake, one of the chain, is noted for its great northern pike.

Build Community House.
One of the features of the place will be a community house which will be built by the Dixon Telegraph, the Rockford Republic and the Janesville Gazette, located centrally between the two lakes and will be called the "Rock River Community Club". It will be a headquarters for the entire colony and will have reading rooms, bath for supplies, etc.

There is good hunting all through this locality. Deer are plentiful and the partridge, ducks, etc., furnish great sport for the small game hunter. The roads are fine leading into this territory.

The inside, or back lots, have many advantages, being lower in price and more accessible to both lakes. They have an advantage for the families from small children, being farther from the water's edge. There is to be a road built through the property at intervals which insures every lot owner having a street along one side of his frontage.

Jury Disagreed Today in Rockford Love Suit

Rockford, Ill., Dec. 12.—(AP)—The jury in the case of Harry Fiedler against Albert D. Conklin to recover \$8,000 "hush money," originally paid him following the exposure of alleged intimacy between Conklin and Mrs. Fiedler, reached a disagreement today. Fiedler charged he was forced to return the money by the state authorities under threat of prosecution for extortion.

Starts with Rag Rug.

It all started when Mrs. Fiedler hung a rag rug on her porch railing to signal Conklin that her husband was not at home. Later, the story runs, the Fiedlers and Justice of the Peace August Grunke, made Conklin think he'd better pay \$8,000 to quiet the affair. After that Fiedler and Grunke were arrested and gave back the money.

Commissioner Suffered Attack Ptomaine Poison

Charles E. Miller, who was taken suddenly ill Thursday evening and taken to his home suffering from an attack of ptomaine poisoning, was able to be about again today.

80-Year-Old Man Walks Away with Needed Radium

Belleville, Ill., Dec. 12.—(AP)—Police today were looking for William Sims, 80, who yesterday walked out of St. Vincent's Hospital, carrying in his head \$4,000 worth of radium needles used in treating him for cancer.

Noted Chicago Singer to Give Sacred Recital



EDWARD T. CLISSOLD

Famous Chicago baritone, whose wife was formerly Miss Mina Swartwout of this city, will give a recital of eight sacred songs at the evening service at the Presbyterian church in this city tomorrow.

THERE'S GENUINE NEED OF WORK BY THE GOODFELLOWS

Hundreds of Cases in City Where Alias Santa is Needed

If the Goodfellows of Dixon could read some of the pitiful letters being received at the Telegraph office from little kiddies in this city who know of no one who will help them have a happy Christmas, their responses would be even more generous and prompt than it is. Most of us do realize that there is real poverty in Dixon.

A glimpse into any one of a hundred homes we could show you would convince you that there is real need for Goodfellow work here and that without your aid there will be many sad hearts on Christmas morning.

Come on, you Goodfellows. You'll get as much fun out of it as the kids you help. Large donations are not necessary. Just give according to your conscience. We have many small donations that come from meagre purses but they bring a great deal of happiness for someone.

Fund Now Totals \$131

The Goodfellow fund now stands:
Dixon Evening Telegraph \$25.00
Margaret Kirshner .50
Jackie Kirshner .50
H. W. 5.00
J. C. Penny Co. 25.00
Gyro Club of Dixon 25.00
C. S. Santelma 3.00
Dixon Home Telephone Co. 10.00
Louise Pitcher 5.00
Mrs. Max Rosenthal 1.00
Milton A. Becker 10.00
A. H. Frazz 1.00
Billy Thompson 1.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Little 5.00
A friend 1.00
Billy Feltes, age 4 1.00
Homestead, Fla. 5.00
Mrs. C. H. Russell 1.00
Mrs. Addie E. Hillies 1.00
Total \$131.00

Several Hundred French Troops Reported Killed

Jerusalem, Dec. 12.—(AP)—Telegraphic Agency—Loss of several hundred French troops in a battle with Druse tribesmen, near Damascus on Monday is reported in advices reaching here.

According to these reports, the battle was waged all day, the Druses surrounding the French troops, numbering several hundred, and almost the entire French force was killed.

Ottawa Sheriff Seeks Driver of Vampire Car

Ottawa, Ill., Dec. 12.—(AP)—A search was started by Sheriff E. J. Welter and his deputies last night for the vampire driver of a mud-splattered automobile, who last night struck Mrs. John Baima of Oglesby, as she was walking along the hard road killing her instantly.

AMERICANS HELD UP BY FIGHT OF CHINESE TROOPS

"International Train" Was Caught in the Midst of Real Fight

Peking, Dec. 12.—(AP)—The international train which left Peking for Tientsin early Thursday morning returned here at 6 o'clock tonight, after having been caught in a battle between the forces of Fen Yu Hsiang and Li Ching Ling at Yangtsun twenty miles north of Tientsin.

Twenty Americans, nine Britons several prominent Japanese and four League of Nations representatives sent to study the plague in Manchuria, who were on board, were forced to take refuge from bursting shells under the coaches of the stalled train.

The passengers included a number of women and children. All escaped unharmed and declared they were none the worse for their experience. Willy H. Beck, a secretary of the American Legation, left last night with a lorry of food and blankets for passengers of the endangered train near Yangtsun who included Mrs. W. J. Calhoun, widow of the former American minister in Peking. He reached the train early today and delivered the provisions after which the train was safely withdrawn to Langfang.

Peking, Dec. 12.—(AP)—Twenty Americans and several Englishmen, passengers on the international train which left Peking for Tientsin yesterday were caught in the midst of a battle between the troops of Feng Yu Hsiang and Chang Tso Lin near Yangtsun, north of Tientsin, last night.

The train also carried fifty Italian marines on their way to the coast, Italy. The passengers, including some after doing guard duty in the cap-women and children, are reported der the stopped train to escape the to have lain between the tracks under Chinese shells. During the night, the train was sent back to Langfang.

A truck load of provisions has arrived there and it is presumed the passengers are comfortable, although with Peking. It is not known whether the train will return to the capital or attempt to get through to Tientsin.

A battle was raging furiously at 7 o'clock this morning, between Tientsin and Peking, a few miles to the north on the coast.

The train was caught between the opposing forces when an armored train from Peking following in its wake landed 1,000 troops with artillery and opened fire on the Mukden-led.

Later information from Bay View at noon today, told that Mr. Parker had struggled hard against the death that took him. When found his hands were still clasped about the guy wire leading from an island to Bay View, along which it was customary to ferry the boat.

It seems that a sudden gust of wind swept the craft from under the men, and left Parker hanging to the wire. The swift current and wind combined to exhaust him and he sank beneath the waves, his hands still grasping his only hope.

Mr. Daum, the later information said, grabbed one of the oars, and saved himself with it, after a three hours struggle with the stream. He was found wandering on the shore, dazed and unable to speak coherently. He will recover.

Both men were 32nd degree Mason, and Parker a member of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity. The passengers had alighted from the stalled train, with the intention of walking the remaining distance to Tientsin, when the firing began. They raced back to the train and took refuge under the coaches from the bursting shells.

Legations Protest

Major General W. D. Connor, the American commandant in Tientsin, is reported to be trying to get a relief train through, with food, to convey the passengers to their destination. The foreign legations here are protesting energetically to Peking, pointing out that the protocol of 1901 gives the foreigners the specific right to occupy Yangtsun as a vantage point in keeping communication with the sea open.

Langfang, to which the train was withdrawn, is outside the present battle zone. It is reported that there were no casualties among Americans or other foreigners.

Among the passengers were M. Mochizuki, a member of the Japanese diet, Count Inami, Under-Secretary of the Japanese navy, M. Bardac, brother-in-law of the French minister to China and four league of nations commissioners sent to investigate the plague in Manchuria.

Guard of Seventy

The train guard numbered 70 men, of whom 50 were Americans. The names of American passengers on board were given as Miss Ann Carrere, William S. Kaigan and Mrs. M. C. Taylor, of Chicago; Mrs. C. S. Ward, Mrs. E. W. Poor, Mrs. T. S. Miller, the Misses Noyes and Holt.

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DIXON WOMAN IS HURT IN MISHAP FRIDAY EVENING

Mrs. May Phillips Hit by Sterling Car; in Hospital

Mrs. May Phillips of this city was the victim of an automobile accident in Sterling Friday and is confined in the Sterling hospital suffering from the injuries sustained. She was about to step up on the curb at the corner of Third street and Second avenue in that city and is said to have stepped backward in front of a Ford coupe driven by Harry Harshman, Sterling contractor.

Mr. Harshman had stopped to allow a passenger to leave his car and had just started to turn north on Second avenue, when Mrs. Phillips stepped back and was struck by the fender of his car, according to reports. She was knocked down and the driver of the car stopped and called an ambulance, having the woman taken to the Sterling hospital. Examination disclosed a fracture of the shoulder blade, an injury to the head and many bruises about the body. The attending physician stated this morning that her condition was not considered serious but that she was suffering considerably from shock.

"Promised Land" Dream of Mennonites is Ended

Dallas, Tex., Dec. 12.—(AP)—Their dream of a "promised land," in the valley of the Rio Grande have faded and the Mennonites who sought to colonize in Mexico are yearning for their native home in Canada. Theirs is a story of a land of milk and honey that failed to materialize.

The weary people two years ago followed a great hope into the southern republic where they expected to prosper on the fruits of the land. Now they are homeward bound, longing to renew the more conservative life in the land where once they lived.

Their failure is best told in the halting Spanish of a boy.

"We like Mexico," he said, "but nothing will grow—and my father says we must stay."

The Mennonites, whose faith was founded by Menno Simons in 1632, practice a religion of omnipotent fate and non-resistance of violence. Even their crop failures they characterize as "the will of God."

Woman is Probation Officer in Ogle Co.

Oregon—As the result of a spirited campaign by Ogle County Woman's clubs, a probation officer has been authorized by the county board of supervisors. Mrs. Katherine Hammond, Savanna, was named for the post by County Judge Leon A. Zick Thursday.

At the last session of the board, the clubs made a request for an appropriation to cover the expense of a probation officer. The board defeated the project by one vote. Thursday's ballot carried the proposition by the same slight majority.

Mrs. Hammond, who occupies a similar post in Carroll and Jay Davies counties, has been working in the county the past three months, her salary having been met by woman's organizations.

Liquor Traffic in Rockford Probed

Rockford—Startling disclosures of illicit liquor traffic in Rockford, it was rumored today, would be contained in the report of the recalled October grand jury that is said to have been investigating a mass of evidence since reporting for service Thursday morning.

One of the rumors heard on the street today was that three federal officers and "private spotters," employed by State Attorney William D. Knight had obtained evidence of liquor sales in several places of business heretofore "not even under suspicion of the police or sheriff's office."

Peoria Co. Treasury is Possessed of Fine Balance

Peoria—Peoria county finances show a balance of cash of \$160,840 this year, the largest on record. Expenditures for the year increased \$73,972.

Supervisor Struck by Amboy

Ashton told the board that the claims of the deputies had not been given the proper consideration. "If there are questionable bills to be found, why are the deputies not called in to explain to the committee, as they have been in the past, instead of the bills being turned down with no chance for explanation?" he asked the board.

The Peoria supervisor then asked that the chairman appoint a special committee to reconsider the bills and soon withdrew his motion. Supervisor Bauer who had been quite active in defending the board in its action of disallowing the claims asked that the mileage and per diem be read, stating that the deputies looked to be well fed and could wait without suffering.

Supervisor John Banks of Brooklyn told the board that the deputies had performed their duties in good faith and had filed their claims, which were either right or wrong. If right they should be paid and if wrong they should not be paid, he contended. A roll call was asked for on Supervisor Strawn's amendment, which lost by a vote of 15 to 7. With

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TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—(AP)—Poultry: live steady; receipts 4 cars; fowls 17¢; ducks 23¢; turkeys 32¢; roosters 16¢; ducks 23¢; geese 17¢.

Butter: lower; receipts 8255 tubs; creamery extras 46½¢; standards 44½¢; extra firsts 44½¢; firsts 42½¢; 48½¢; seconds 41½¢.

Eggs: unchanged; receipts 1825 cases.

Potatoes: trade slow; mostly in Idaho sacks; receipts 61 cars; U. S. shipments 328; Canadian 8; Wisconsin sacked round whites 3.40@3.75; Idaho sacked russets 3.20@3.50.

Weekly Grain Review

Chicago, Dec. 12.—(AP)—Corn has suddenly gone up in price this week, whereas wheat has gone down. According to various trade authorities indications are that corn on farms is being more largely utilized for feeding to livestock or is being held for higher prices and that the wheat market has been strained by the many upturns of late. Compared with a week ago the corn market this morning showed 1½¢ to 1¾¢ gain, wheat was off 3¢ to 6¢, oats ½¢ to ¾¢ up and provisions varying from 50¢ decline to 25¢ advance.

Although corn displayed from the beginning of the week something of an opposite trend as compared with wheat, it was several days before a majority of traders appeared to accept the view that the market had discounted the large size of the corn crop this season.

Heavy selling which developed in the wheat market did much to check and at times overcome the relative buoyancy of corn values. New high records for the season in the wheat market, though, were reached before wheat began to give way under the pressure brought from profit taking holders and speculators who were acting on opinions that Argentine corn damage reports had lost influence for the moment and that a sharp reaction was due.

Cutting down of visible supplies of oats made the oats market responsive.

Too Late to Classify

NOTICE.
ALL CLASSIFIED ADS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY THE MONEY. THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS TO THIS RULE. NO ADVERTISEMENT COUNTED LESS THAN 25 WORDS.

WANTED—Subscribers to look at the little yellow tag on their Telegraph. It serves as a receipt and tells you the exact date to which you are paid. Send in your renewal before expiration date so you will not miss any copies.

MONEY TO LOAN ON FARMS—5 percent, 5¢ per cent, and 5¢ depending upon the value of farm acre. Reasonable commission. In reply give number of acres and value per acre. Savings Bank of Kewanee, Kewanee, Illinois.

FOR SALE—Mottos, pictures and picture frames for Christmas gifts; also engraved Christmas cards of all kinds. Better Paint Store, 222 E. St. 2816

WANTED—OUR CUSTOMERS TO KNOW THAT THE TIME IS NOW SHORT IN ORDER TO GRAVE GREETING CARDS. COME IN TODAY. OUR SAMPLES ARE BEAUTIFUL. B. F. SHAW PRINTING CO. 2816

FOR SALE—New modern six-room house. Sun porch, garage. Payments like rent or less. Will rent about Jan. 1st, special price till then. Also 5-room house for rent. Phone X568. 2816

WANTED—An earnest ambitious man between 21 and 30 years of age to learn to become a chain dry goods store manager. Give age, schooling and previous employment. Experience in store work not necessary. Here is a real opportunity for the right man. Write "W" by letter card Evening Telegraph. 2812

FOR SALE—Maxwell sedan. Just like new. Priced very reasonable. Newman Bros., Riverview Garage. 2813

FOR RENT—2 large rooms in modern home, suitable for two. Gentlemen preferred. Mrs. Grace Oddy, 406 Galena Ave. Phone W739. 2812

FOR SALE—One white enameled wrought iron full size bed with springs like new; will sell cheap. Enquire 701 North Ottawa Ave. Phone K433. 2817

FOR SALE—6 dining-room chairs. 319 E. Second St. Tel. X480. 2813

FOR SALE—We are offering real bargains in used cars and trucks. A choice lot. New Ford truck with cab run 50 miles; 2 Olds trucks, A1 condition; 1925 Chevrolet touring; Duco paint job, like new; 1924 Chevrolet touring, with winter enclosure; also a number of Ford sedans and coupes priced from \$135 up. Terms to suit purchaser. J. L. Glassburn, opposite P. O. Phone 509. 29013

FOR RENT—Lower part of house for small family. Very good location. 519 West Second St. 29013

WANTED—Auto owners to know that we have in stock a full and complete line of auto parts. Call in and be convinced. Replacement Parts Co., 213 First St. Phone 604. 29016

WANTED—Employment by a young lady who desires to work for room and board while attending college. Address by letter, "Z. Z." care Telegraph. 29013

WANTED—I will buy your equity in contract for city property if you are leaving city or wish to cash in. Write full particulars, P. O. Box 344. 29013

FOR RENT—Garage. Call Phone 1164 evenings. 29013

LOST—On street brown Buckskin glove. Finder please return to J. F. Haley. 29013

FOR SALE—Fine Barred Rock chickens and want to buy some alfalfa hay. Phone 46121. 29013

Butter Market

Chicago, Dec. 12.—(AP)—The outstanding features of the butter market during the week were the lack of confidence of the part of operators and the resulting quiet trading.

Early in the week, however, a fairly active buying demand for consumptive purposes gave a firm appearance to the markets and this and some price advances were registered on top scores.

Buyers at all times were conservative and operated close to current requirements.

At Chicago, the top scores were liberal and throughout the week the fine markers were moved with considerable effort.

Eastern markets on the contrary reported only limited quantities of fine butter and ample supplies of the medium and lower scores. At all markets centralized cars appeared to be in the weakest position as buyers showed practically no interest on centralized cars, especially the 98 and 89 scores.

Offerings of storage butter during many instances sellers were inclined the week were quite liberal and in to offer concessions in order to effect sales.

Chicago Livestock.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—(AP)—Hogs: 4000; 10¢ higher than Friday's low; 200 to 30 lb. butchers 10.50@10.70; 140 to 160 lbs. 11.00@11.25; practical top 11.00; packing sows 8.40@8.80; stale killing pigs 11.00@11.50; shippers 3500; estimated holdover 3000; heavy hogs 10.80@10.85; mediums 10.50@10.75; light 10.35@11.10; light lights 10.50@11.40; packing sows 8.25@9.20; slaughter pigs 11.50@12.00.

Cattle: 500; fat steers 25 to 25¢ lower; better grades 50 to 85¢ down; light and medium predominating off most common kinds about 25¢ off; extreme top on Christmas heavies 14.00; practical 13.25@13.50; practical top 13.00 on heavy 12.50; Christmas on little cattle 12.90; few steers on any weight above 11.00; better grade fat cows 25¢ lower; heifers 25 to 50¢ off; bulls 25 to 40¢ higher; vealers 75¢ to \$1 higher; week's bulks: fat steers 8.50@10.75; fat cows 4.50@6.75; heifers 6.50@7.75; veal calves 11.00@12.50.

Sheep: 3000; for week around 4000; direct and 17 cars from feeding stations; market today nominal; mostly direct; compared with week ago hand 40 and medium fat lambs 50 to 75¢ lower; heavy kinds 75¢ to 1.00 lower; fat sheep 50¢ to 75¢ lower; feeding lambs 25¢ to 50¢ higher; week's top fat lambs 17.45; feeder 17.25; fat yearling wethers 14.00; aged sort 11.50; fat ewes 10.25; bulks: fat lambs 16.00@17.00; cull natives 12.00@13.00; feeding lambs 16.75@16.75; fat yearling wethers 12.75@14.00; wethers 10.00@11.00; fat ewes 8.50@10.00.

Chicago Grain Table

By Associated Press Licensed Wire

WHEAT.

Dec. new 1.70 1.71 1.66 1.63 1.68

Dec. old 1.68 1.69 1.64 1.61 1.66

May new 1.65 1.67 1.63 1.60 1.65

May old 1.63 1.64 1.60 1.57 1.64

July 1.45 1.46 1.43 1.40 1.45

CORN.

Dec. 78 78 77 77 77

May 78 78 77 77 77

July 77 77 76 76 76

OATS.

Dec. 41 41 40 40 41

May 45 45 44 44 45

July 46 46 45 45 46

RYE.

Dec. 1.66 1.66 1.62 1.64 1.64

May 1.66 1.66 1.62 1.64 1.64

July 1.66 1.66 1.62 1.64 1.64

LARD.

Dec. 14.22 14.22 14.22 14.20 14.20

Jan. 14.15 14.25 14.15 14.15 14.25

May 14.15 14.20 14.10 14.20 14.20

BEEF.

Dec. 14.20 14.20 14.20 14.20 14.20

Jan. 14.20 14.20 14.20 14.20 14.20

May 14.20 14.20 14.20 14.20 14.20

BELLIES.

Dec. 14.50 14.50 14.50 14.50 14.50

Jan. 14.50 14.50 14.50 14.50 14.50

May 14.50 14.50 14.50 14.50 14.50

Chicago Cash Grain.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—(AP)—Wheat No. 1 hard 1.72 1/4; No. 2 hard 1.68 1/4; 1.71 1/4

Corn No. 3 mixed 76 1/4; No. 5 mixed 71 1/4; No. 6 mixed 69 1/4; No. 3 yellow 76; No. 4 yellow 74 1/4; No. 6 yellow 69 1/4

Oats No. 5 white 71 1/4; No. 6 white 69 1/4; sample grade 68 1/4; No. 3 white 51 1/4; No. 4 white 41 1/4

Rye, none. Barley 58 1/4. Timothy seed 6.50@7.35. Clover seed 21.00@30.50. Lard 14.22. Ribs 14.87. Bellies 14.50.

Liberty Bonds Close.

New York, Dec. 12.—(AP)—Liberty bonds closed: 3 1/4 9.28. 2nd 4 1/2 10.2. 1st 4 1/4 10.12. 2nd 4 1/4 10.24. 3rd 4 1/4 10.18. 4th 4 1/4 10.2. Treasury 4 1/2 10.3. New 4 1/4 10.16.

Clearing House Report

New York, Dec. 12.—(AP)—The actual condition of clearing house bank and trust companies for the week shows excess of reserve of \$14,472,430. This is an increase in reserve of \$11,977,069 compared with last week when excess reserve totaled \$2,495,370.

Wall Street Close.

All. Chem & Dye 116

Am. Can 258 1/2

Am. Car & Fdy 111

Am. Loco. 124 1/2

Am. Sm. & Ref 134

Am. Sugar 75 1/2

Am. Tel. & Tel. 145

Am. Tob. 115 1/2

Am. Water Wks 76

Am. Woolen 44 1/2

Anacosta Cop 49

Atholston 128

Atl. Coast Line 257

Baldwin Loco. 128 1/2

B. & O. 91 1/2

Bethlehem Steel 49 1/2

Calif. Pet 31 1/2

Canadian Pac 145 1/2

Cent. Leath. pfd 65

Chesapeake & Ohio 121 1/2

Chandler Motor 46 1/2

Cerro de Pasco 62

C. & N. W. 76

C. M. & St. P. pfd 18 1/2

Rock Island 59 1/2

Coca Cola 151 1/2

Colorado Fuel 38

Consolidated Gas 95 1/2

Corn Products 39 1/2

Cruible Steel 81 1/2

Cuba Cane Sugar pfd 43

Davison Chem 40 1/2

Dodge Bros. pfd 87 1/2 bid

Du Pont de Nem 231 1/2

Electric Pow. & Lt. etfs 31 1/2

Erie Ist pfd 44 1/2

Famous Players 119

General Asphalt 67 1/2

General Electric 321

General Motors 117 1/2

Gt. Northern pfd 78 1/2

Gulf States Steel 91 1/2

Hudson Motors 105 1/2

I. C. 118 1/2

Ind. O. & G. 32 1/2

Int. Harvester 130 1/2

Int. Nickel 45

Int. Mer. HMar pfd 39

Kelly-Springfield 17 1/2

Kennecott Cop 54 1/2

Lehigh Valley 82 1/2

Louisville & Nash 145

Mack Truck 218 1/2

Mariand Oil 53 1/2

Mex. Seaboard Oil 97 1/2

Mid Cont Pet 35 1/2

Mo. Kan. & Tex 41 1/2

Mo. Pac. pfd 88 1/2

Montgomery Ward 79 1/2

Nat. Biscuit 71

Nat. Lead 164 1/2

N. Y. Central 128 1/2

N. Y. N. H. & Htd 44

Norfolk & Western 147 1/2

Nor. Am. 65 1/2

Northern Pac 74 1/2

Pac. Oil 69 1/2

Pan Am. Pet. B 77

Penn 53 1/2

Phila. & Ind. C. & I. 43 1/2

Phillips Pet 44 1/2

Pure Oil 39

Radio Corp 45

Reading 87 1/2 bid

Rep. Ir. & Steel 90 1/2

Reynolds Tub 53 1/2

St. L. & San Fran 93

Seaboard Air Line 51 1/2

Sears Roebuck 229

Sinclair Con Oil 20 1/2

Southern Pacific 99 1/2

Southern Ry 115 1/2

Standard Oil, Cal 55

Standard Oil, N. J. 43 1/2

Stewart Warner 82 1/2

Studebaker 67 1/2

Texas Co. 52 1/2

Texas & Pacific 53 1/2

Tobacco Products 96 1/2

Transcont Oil 45 1/2

Union Pacific 149 1/2

U. S. Cast. Ir. Pipe 205

U. S. Ind. Alcohol 74 1/2

U. S. Rubber 87 1/2

U. S. Steel 135 1/2

Wabash Pfd 72

Westingh Tub 76 1/2

Willys Overland 27 1/2

Woolworth 199 1/2

Chrysler 213

East St. Louis, Ill.—(AP)—Horses good to choice drafts \$130@150; good eastern chunks \$40@50; good southern horses \$30@50.

Mules 16 to 17 hands \$175@225; 15 to 16.2 hands \$125@150; 14.3 to 15.2 hands \$60@90.

Grand Jurors at April Term Were Picked by Board

The following is the list of grand jurors selected by the county board of supervisors to serve at the April term of the Lee county circuit court: Alto—Perry Bellet.

Amboy—Elmer Curtis. Ashton—Albert Reed. Bradford—John Mall. Brooklyn—John C. Horton. China—Fred J. Blocher. Dixon—Charles Coel. William Jacobus. East Grove—John Meurer. Hamilton—C. Burnham Keigwin. Harmon—Peter Smith. Lee Center—William Natress. Marion—John J. Blackburn. May—Michael Foley. St. Nicholas—John Hoff. Nelson—Charles Trotter. Palmyra—Fred Sils. Reynolds—Harry S. Strawbridge. South Dixon—Tobias Bowers. Sublette—Leo Lauer. Viola—John Montavon. Willow Creek—Frank Reynolds. Wyoming—Paul Walters.

Miss Poppe is playing a remarkable exhibition of expression and technique, bringing out the full, sonorous, rich tones of the cello; and again receiving from it the delicate, higher notes of the violin. Probably the selection which pleased her hearers most was The Song of Pan, of her own composition, wherein one could picture him with his pipes in the forest glade, calling to the elves and fairies to share his enjoyment in the woodland playground. She was forced to respond several times to encores on this number. Other cello selections during the program were: Modest, graceful and natural, Miss Poppe's stage presence was most gratifying. She is an artist with a temperament and the tones from her wonderful instrument were varied, and always beautiful.

Local Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. William Fitzpatrick of Waukegan were Dixon shoppers to day.

I have some thing of interest to those wanting auto and fire insurance. See me at the Dixon Loco. & Bldg. Ass'n. H. U. Bardwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Emery of Amboy traded in Dixon today.

Nurses Record sheets may be obtained at the Telegraph office.

Miss Arlene Elyne of Oregon shopped in Dixon today.

Call at the Evening Telegraph office and see the beautiful Christmas Card display.

Christmas Greeting cards in all styles at the Evening Telegraph office.

Mahlon Kent of Amboy was a visitor in Dixon Friday afternoon.

Call and see the new Christmas Greeting cards at the Evening Telegraph office.

Atty. James Buckley of Amboy transacted professional business in this city yesterday.

Look at the little yellow tag and send in a renewal subscription to the Telegraph.

Mrs. Emma Bergman left yesterday for White Rock, South Dakota.

Miss Florence Netiz has accepted a position with the Palais Royale shop in the ready-to-wear alteration department.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McCaffrey of Harmon were Dixon shoppers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Winthrop and Sterling friends for the last few of Evanston have been visiting Dixon days.

The time for ordering your Christmas Greeting Cards engraved is growing short. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

Mrs. Charles Miller and Mrs. Wm. Fraser of Polo were Dixon shoppers yesterday.

Mrs. Fred Richardson and Mrs. William Schade of Ashton were guests of Mrs. Edwin S. Rosecrans yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Derr of Dixon will leave soon for the west coast of Florida to spend the winter.

Help the Associated Charities in the drive which is on this week in Dixon. A worthy cause. It is blessed to give.

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Local Markets.

DIXON MILK PRICE



WOMEN'S PAGE



Society

Contributions for This Page Welcomed

Contributions to the society column are desired by the Telegraph, and all persons leaving town or having friends to visit them are requested to telephone the society editor at phone No. 2. Accounts of parties, dances, marriages and announcements of engagements also are desired. If items are mailed to the office they must bear the signature and address of the sender, not for publication, but as evidence of good faith. Write plainly, on one side of the page only.

For society editor, call 5, Telegraph. As a rule, items which are held over for several days before reaching this office will not be used, for the news is only news at the time it occurs.

Saturday.
Dixon Woman's Club—Christian Church, 2:30 p. m.

Monday.
W. R. C.—G. A. R. Hall.
Delphian Chapter — Preston's Chapel.

Tuesday.
Baldwin Auxiliary—G. A. R. Hall.
Golden Rule Class St. Paul's Church—St. Paul's Church.
Golden Rule Circle Grace Evangelical Church — Miss Cora Miller, 745 Brinton Ave.

Wartburg League—German Lutheran Church.

Phidian Art Club—Mrs. H. C. Pitney, 321 E. Fellows street.
Practical Club—Mrs. L. E. Jacobson, 204 N. Galena Avenue.

Wednesday.
Loyal Order Moose—Moose Hall.

REMEMBER—

Remember me when I am going away.
Gone far away into the silent land;
When you can no more hold me by the hand,
Nor I half turn to go, yet turning stay.
Remember me when no more, day by day,
You tell me of your future that you planned;
Only remember me! You understand it will be late to counsel then or pray.
Yet if you should forget me for a while
And afterwards remember, do not grieve;
For if the darkness and corruption leave
A vestige of the thought that once I had,
Better by far you should forget and smile
Than that you should remember and be sad.
—Christina Georgina Rossetti.

Wesleyan Missionary Society Meeting

The Wesleyan Missionary Society of the M. E. church held its December meeting with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hey, 209 East Chamberlain street with a banner attendance of sixty. Each member brought with them a 25-cent gift to be sent to the children at Lake Bluff Orphanage.

Mrs. Chas. Atkinson had charge of the devotionals, assisted by ten others, each with a lighted candle portraying the Christmas story.

The usual business was transacted. The minutes of the last meeting and treasurer's report were read and approved. It was voted to send a sum of money to the U. S. Leper colony at Carville, La.

Mrs. A. E. Marth had prepared the Study Chapter on "Slavic Community Life in America." Her paper was especially interesting as in preparing it, she has visited many of the foreigner's homes at the Dixon Cement Plant, in order to give her audience first hand information.

Mrs. A. M. McNicol had prepared a very enjoyable musical program:

Piano Solo—Beulah Hey.
Vocal Solo—Jimmie Hey.
Violin Solo—Miss Josephine Miller, accompanied by Mrs. Blake Grover.
Vocal Solo—Miss Constance Winger, accompanied by Miss Clara Armstrong. All graciously responded to encores.

Mrs. Charles Willford then explained a chart system which the society will adopt under the instruction of the Home Mission board.

Mrs. Henry Leydig had charge of the lively social hour after which the committee served dainty refreshments of ice cream, wafers and candy.

Men's Club to Meet Monday Eve.

The Men's Club of the Methodist church will meet in the church parlors Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock, Dec. 14. This will be the regular monthly meeting of the club. A fine program has been prepared by the committee in charge.

Group singing—Led by Ray Kline.
Special stunt—A. C. Bowers.
Music—B. S. Schildberg.
Address, "Light"—Dr. Kenyon B. Segner.

Refreshments will be served. This is guest night and each member is requested to bring a guest. Each person attending is also asked to bring a ten-cent musical present—Executive Committee, Benjamin Kietzman, Secretary.

PHIDIAN ART CLUB—

The members of the Phidian Art Club will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. H. C. Pitney, 321 E. Fellows street. Mrs. W. C. McWethy will have the paper of the afternoon on Mrs. Humphrey Ward.

Menus for the Family

BY SISTER MARY.

Breakfast—
Grape fruit sections, soft-cooked eggs, crisp toast, cornmeal pancakes, syrup, milk, coffee.

Luncheon—
Toasted vegetable sandwiches, hearts of lettuce, cranberry jelly, ginger nuggets, milk, tea.

Dinner—
Baked stuffed haddock, stewed tomatoes with croutons, scalloped potatoes, French endive with French dressing, snow pudding, plain cake, whole wheat bread, milk, coffee.

A large grape fruit will serve three persons instead of two if the sections are removed from the skin to serve. The fruit is easily prepared if cut in half as usual. Then with a strong teaspoon remove each section, keeping it as perfect as possible. Pour juice that escapes from the pulp over the sections of fruit, sprinkle with sugar, cover and let stand in a cold place over night. In the morning divide fruit into individual dishes and serve.

Cornmeal Pancakes.
One and one-half cups flour, 1 cup corn meal, 5 teaspoons baking powder, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon molasses, 2 tablespoons sugar, 2 cups boiling water, 1 cup milk, 2 tablespoons melted butter, 1 egg.

Have water boiling in a sauce pan. Slowly add cornmeal, stirring constantly and boil five minutes. Turn into a mixing bowl and stir in milk and molasses. Mix and sift flour, salt, sugar and baking powder and stir into first mixture. Add egg well beaten and butter. Beat well and bake on a hot well-greased griddle. This recipe will make about two dozen ordinary sized pancakes.

RECIPES FOR EGGLess PUDDINGS.

Just to show old madam biddy-hen that we can have good puddings without her soaring eggs, here are some eggless recipes.

When we serve these puddings we must keep in mind that they do not contain the nourishment found in a pudding made light and rich with eggs and plan the whole meal with this thought uppermost. However, these puddings do furnish the sweetness wanted by most of us and add bulk to the diet.

The sauce used with the pudding always adds much. Whipped cream is good on any pudding hot or cold. Hard sauce is made for a hot pudding not too rich to start with and a fruit sauce improves many rich, sweet puddings by its contrasting flavor and lack of butter or cream.

The first recipe is for a simple delicious pudding that can be served with any of the sauces mentioned.

Steamed Graham Pudding.
Three tablespoons butter or lard, 1/2 cup molasses, 1/2 cup sweet milk, 1/2 cup white flour, 1 1/4 cups graham flour, 1/2 teaspoon soda, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon each cinnamon, nutmeg and cloves, 1/2 pound dates stoned and chopped.

Melt shortening and beat in molasses. Mix and sift flour, soda, spice and salt. Add to first mixture. Add graham flour and dates and mix thoroughly. Turn into a buttered mold, cover and steam two and one-half hours.

Serve warm with whipped cream, hard sauce or lemon sauce. This recipe will make six large servings or eight medium sized ones. The pudding can be reheated and used several days later if only half is used. Steam one-half hour to reheat.

DANCING

DOWNING HALL

Saturday, Dec. 12th

Bazaar Style

Suet puddings are always good in cold weather and while rich have the advantage of being digested, comparatively speaking. Well-cooked suet is considered an easily digested fat.

Suet Pudding.

One cup chopped suet, 1 cup molasses, 1 cup sour milk, 3 cups flour, 1 teaspoon soda, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 1/2 teaspoon cloves, 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg, 1 cup chopped raisins.

The suet must be chopped very fine and worked until creamy with a wooden spoon or fork. Mix and sift dry ingredients. Add molasses and milk to suet. Mix thoroughly and add dry mixture. Add raisins before blending mixtures. Mix thoroughly and turn into a well-buttered mold. Steam two and one-half hours. Serve hot with hard sauce or lemon sauce.

An unusual amount of salt must be used because the suet is unsalted. Cumberland pudding is another hot steamed pudding made without eggs that is worth using.

Cumberland Pudding.
One cup grated raw carrot, 1 cup grated raw potato, 1 cup brown sugar, 1/2 cup chopped suet, 1/2 cup currants, 1/2 cup seeded and chopped raisins, 1/4 cup sliced and shredded citron, 2 tablespoons minced candied lemon peel, 1 1/2 cups flour, 1 teaspoon soda, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 1/2 teaspoon cloves, 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg, 1/2 cup milk.

The vegetables can be put through the fine knife of food chopper if inconvenient to grate. Mix and sift 1 cup of the flour with the spice, soda and salt. Sift remaining flour over fruit. Mix vegetables, suet and sugar. Add milk. Mix well and add dry ingredients. Mix thoroughly and add grated fruit. Turn into a buttered mold. Steam three and one-half hours. Serve hot with hard sauce.

This tapioca pudding made with dried fruits is rather unusual but very good. The pearl tapioca is better than the quick cooking variety for this concoction. (Copyright, 19125, NEA Service, Inc.)

War Mothers Elected Officers

December 11th, the Lee County Chapter of American War Mothers met at the home of Mrs. Ruth Osbaugh, 317 College avenue.

There were twenty-one members and five visitors present. The meeting was called to order by War Mother Strub, and Mrs. Birdie Kennedy gave two very interesting readings, "The Schoolmaster's Desk" and "Father's Indigestion."

The meeting proper was then called. The salute to the flag was given, and the 23rd Psalm was repeated and two verses of a hymn was sung.

The secretary and treasurer's reports were read and accepted as read. A discussion followed in regard to Ensigns. This question was laid on the table until the next meeting.

The order then discussed the appeals for donations for assistance in hospitals, and it was voted to send a barrel of apples to Maywood to the Edward Hines hospital, (there are at the present time over 900 ex-service men in this hospital). Mrs. Washington Miller donated this barrel of apples which the War Mothers thank her very much, and they will be sent as soon as possible, so they will be at the hospital before Christmas. Five hundred and fifty Christmas cards, stamped ready for mailing were donated to the boys at Maywood. Mrs. Young and Mrs. Moore were the committee.

mittee appointed to take care of this work.

A motion was made and carried to send \$5 a month to the Oak Forest Sanitarium to help furnish warm meals for the boys in that hospital. Also to give \$2 to the good fellows' fund in Dixon.

The American War Mothers is an incorporated organization and orders were read in regard to sending the yearly report to Congress before the 5th of September each year. The American War Mothers are the fourth woman's order in the United States to be incorporated by Congress.

Mrs. Mary Walker was awarded the \$3.00 bottle of perfume for selling the most packages of Jello.

The officers elected for 1926 are: Viola Strub—President.

Rebecca Young—First Vice President.

Austa Welstead—Second Vice President.

Ellen McIntyre—Treasurer.

Clea Bunnell—Recording Secretary.

Florence Hardesty—Corresponding Secretary.

Neille Hyde—Custodian of Records.

Anna Moore—Chaplain.

Historian—Mary Newman.

Parliamentarian—Sarah Carson.

Auditors—Anna Moore, Sarah Carson, Mary Walker.

Mrs. Strub and Mrs. Elliott then sang a Christmas carol, "Silent Night."

After the Penny drill, "Blest be the Tie that Binds" was sung by the order, and the meeting was dismissed to meet with Mrs. Wash Miller, Dec. 23.

Delicious refreshments were served. Mothers of all World War boys are cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Girls' Triangle Club Meeting

The Girls' Triangle club of the Christian church met at the home of Esther Belle Mercer Thursday evening. A business meeting was held and a program embracing the following numbers was given:

Hymn—Brightly Beams Our Father's Mercy.

Responsive Reading—Psalm 84.

Hymn—Blessed be the Tie that Binds.

Lesson—Scripture Reading by Frances Smice.

Duet, "Step by Step"—Esther Belle Mercer and Margaret Cleaver.

Lord's Prayer.

Hymn—I Gave My Life for Thee.

The meeting was closed by repeating the benediction.

A delightful social hour was enjoyed and delicious refreshments were served. Everyone agreed it was a most successful meeting.

BY CYNTHIA GREY—

A Cynic once remarked that life had two ways of punishing us—by giving us the thing we wanted or by denying it—and whichever alternative it selected, the punishment was inevitable.

In a way that is true. In youth we pine for love. We don't exactly know what love is, but we imagine it is a glamorous state in which we are eternally happy.

Then love comes. It brings with it heartache and disillusion. Rarely does its golden surface remain untarnished. At best, it changes from the throbbing, excited, up-in-the-air state to the calm of understanding and peace. We never get love without getting experience. And experience has a high price.

A woman who rose suddenly from obscurity to fame has found the flaws in her success. Whereas once she thought to be famous, and to figure in the newspapers would be the height of bliss, now she finds it impossible to avoid publicity—and she hates it.

She finds herself misquoted in interviews and her most trifling personal affairs played up in big type. She can't help paying the price of her success. Often she wishes she were still a nonentity, with no public concern itself about her moves.

Novel Trimming



So often there is a question as to which neckline will be most effective with a certain frock, and then the wrong one is selected. This black satin frock has an ornament of gold braid and colored beads in front which makes any other type quite superfluous. It also serves to trim the frock.

FITNESS AND EXPERIENCE TEST FOR SERVICE—Jonesboro, Ill., Dec. 12—(AP)—Party rights of women ought to be the same as those of men, Frank L. Smith, candidate for the republican nomination for U. S. senator, said in his meetings on his trip through "Egypt" today. "Fitness and experience should be the only test for service, either party or public," he said. "All citizenship restrictions laid upon women when they were non-voters should be removed, as a matter of course."

"The woman who takes an interest in public affairs should be given the same attention that men who interest themselves in public affairs are given."

And we say to ourselves, "Oh, for a calm, philosophical spirit! O, for nerves that do not torture! O, for nerves that do not torture! O, for nerves that do not torture!"

Dinner Honored Eighty-sixth Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. George Hardesty of Washington Grove entertained at their home Dec. 6th with a duck dinner, their children and grandchildren, honoring the 86th birthday of Mr. Hardesty. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hardesty, Clarence Hardesty and son Clarence and wife of Lafayette; Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Hardesty and son Harold and wife of Dixon; Mr. and Mrs. William Gorton and daughter, Dixon; Mrs. Christian Eakle of Dixon. A splendid dinner was served and a pleasant day afterward was enjoyed by all present. Mr. Hardesty, in whose honor the dinner was served, was in fine spirits and seemed to enjoy himself greatly.

All wish him many happy returns of the day.

PRACTICAL CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY—

The members of the Practical club and their children will enjoy a Christmas party Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. E. Jacobson, 204 N. Galena avenue. The afternoon will be in honor of the children. Mrs. Niles Palmer will be the assistant hostess.

WILL BE GUESTS AT THE HOME OF REV. CASE—

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Keith Hill of River Forest, and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Porvior of Oak Park will motor here from Chicago Sunday and will be guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Prentiss Hovey Case.

Dinner Honored Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. James Hawkins entertained Thursday evening, at a 6:30 dinner, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Wadsworth, the occasion being their twentieth wedding anniversary. The guests present were Rev. and Mrs. Albert Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. John Wadsworth and son, Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Derr, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cline, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Gehhardt, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forman and son, Franklin. At the conclusion of the delicious repast, Mrs. Gehhardt gave a fitting poem and presented the honored guests with a beautiful basket of roses as a token of love and friendship, from those who were present.

After spending a very pleasant evening the guests, ere departing wished Mr. and Mrs. Wadsworth many more such happy occasions, and also thanked the host and hostess for the delicious dinner and pleasant time.

WARTBURG LEAGUE TO MEET—
The Wartburg League of the German Lutheran church will meet at the church Tuesday evening.

DELPHIAN CHAPTER TO MEET MONDAY—
The Delphian Chapter will meet at Preston's chapel Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

FASHION HINTS—
Triangles of Fur.
A very smart new coat is made of beige-colored wool with fur the same color coming up from the hem in very sharp points.

Set With Jewels.
To carry in the evening with the formal attire are the most fascinating bags of black and white thin-stones set in alternate rows.

Capes to be Smart.
Capes are growing in popularity, both as a trimming for coats and as separate garments. Often they are gorgeously lined.

AUSTRIA'S ANIMALS
Vienna—Austria possesses almost two domestic animals and birds for each person who lives within her borders. Included in this enumeration are 282,986 horses, 1,074,965 cows, 1,473,219 hogs and 5,707,865 chickens.

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ASSOCIATION

CONFUSION IN THE CORN BELT.

One of our epigram makers once described one of our presidents as a large body surrounded by men who know exactly what they want. Probably President Coolidge would welcome being placed in a situation like that. He is a smaller body surrounded by a clamorous group, totally in disagreement as to what ought to be done to solve the problems of agriculture.

Eliminating political farmers, who are of doubtful value in a situation of this kind, we have at least three groups. One group hangs to the McNary-Haugen bill, or something aimed at the same end, which will bring the government into the picture to maintain a sort of a parity between the prices the farmer receives for his products and the prices he pays for what he buys, using some pre-war year as a fair basis for figuring. This is to be accomplished by formation of an export corporation to handle the surplus.

Another group, of which Colonel Lowden is a leader, places its faith in co-operative organizations.

The third group probably overlaps both of the others, but it has played long and loud on the string of extended credit to farmers.

President Coolidge is understood to take his stand with those farmers who do not like the McNary-Haugen proposal, because of the element of price-fixing it contains. Many farmers shy at such arrangements. While the export corporation advocates were having their inning in the last congress, the co-operative advocates were lying low, giving them their chance. When the measure appeared to be dead, they came forth with their proposals. The president has indicated more faith in the view of advocates of co-operative marketing, which has a record of fair success in the fields of citrus fruit growers, raisin growers and tobacco growers.

Extension of credit probably was more of a politicians' panacea than one from the practical side. The proposal allowed the demagogue to talk more about Wall Street. It seemed to be a theory more easily put into practice, and something has been done in that line. The extent to which it has been used has not indicated great demands for relief in that manner.

During the period of deflation hundreds of banks in the corn belt were closed, many because of frozen assets, which indicated that credit had been extended to the limit.

A NEW ETHNOLOGICAL CLUE.

It is just possible that an ethnological and philological mystery is on the verge of solution. In Paris not long ago a Basque student attended a reception given to some Japanese dignitaries, delegates to an international conference. The Basque, standing near a group of the oriental visitors, overheard them talking to each other in their native tongue. To his intense surprise he found that, although he had never heard Japanese before and had never studied it, he was able roughly to understand enough of the Japanese words to grasp the general trend of the conversation. The words he had been able to understand, it appears, had a close resemblance to Basque words of the same meanings.

Naturally excited, he approached the Japanese and asked them in French if they had said certain things. Their answers were affirmative and then the representatives of these two widely separated races began eagerly to compare many words which apparently showed some connection between the two tongues.

If this tale is fact, more will be heard about it. Students of racial beginnings will do considerable investigating and seek proofs. Whether the Basques and the Japanese come from the same racial origin or whether they were once such near neighbors that they used closely allied languages are interesting questions which may yet be answered.

Who are the Basques? They are one of a distinct linguistic family of the French and Spanish Pyrenees. Just what their origin is is doubtful. There are a number of theories. One is that they are descended from one of the tribes whom the Greeks and Latins called Iberi; another that they belong to some of the fairer Berber tribes; another, the Atlantic theory, that they belong to a lost Atlantic continent, and fourth, that they are an indigenous race.

WORLD TRADE RECOVERS.

The department of commerce finds that the total volume of international trade this year will exceed pre-war trade for the first time since 1914.

Last year showed a notable advance. The aggregate trade of 63 countries representing nine-tenths of the world's trade was \$53,000,000,000 against \$40,000,000,000 in 1913. The amount this year will be larger.

European trade is still considerably below pre-war level, with that of the United States and the rest of the world proportionately above. But Europe itself is making hopeful progress. There is a marked improvement found in European conditions, in spite of the demoralization of French finance and unemployment in England. At last reconstruction begins to seem a reality.

It is a particularly good prospect for America, and largely responsible for the wave of business optimism sweeping this country lately.

Reading that "sacramental wine" is being cut as much as 37 percent, a fellow wonders how much of it has been sacramental and how much sacrilegious.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton

THE LAST ADVENTURE IN PICTURE LAND



A gorgeous fellow, all nose and knee buckles, brought a large dish of chocolate cake.

No sooner had the young man told the Twins that he was a prince than a long line of servants appeared, each carrying a large silver dish.

As the line of servants was quite long and each was dressed quite gorgeously in red velvet and gold, and the dishes they carried were imposing enough to hold a dozen black-bird pies, the Twins lost their breath completely.

"Why I—I—we thought we were just coming for tea," said Nancy, finding her voice at last. "Will this tiny table hold all the things?" she added anxiously.

"Oh, there are other tables around, if you notice," said the Prince. "Don't let that worry you. When I told Mister Blue Cap to bring you to tea, I went to the cook and told him to serve up everything he thought children might like."

"Well," said Nick, "I guess he thought we liked a lot."

But there was no more time for talking, as a gorgeous fellow, all nose and knee-buckles, brought a large dish of chocolate cake with icing an inch high.

Another one, all pig tail and ears, brought two very large sail-boat sandwiches with sixteen things in the mixture.

Still another brought frozen ice cream shaped like horns and dolls and engines.

One brought soda in tall roomy glasses, and I really can't tell you what the rest brought, but I know that candy and nuts and goodies of all sorts were not forgotten.

"I'm afraid maybe that I shall be sick, if I eat all this," said Nancy faintly, as her plate began to look like the Tower of Babel.

"It won't hurt you," replied the Prince. "My cook knows how to pre-

pare things without giving you the stomach ache."

There isn't time to tell you exactly how much the Twins ate, but I'm afraid they did not have much time to admire the view.

"We really must be going," said Nick finally. "We have a perfectly scrumptious time and I think I like men's tea-parties better than ladies'. Ladies only give you crackers and thin cakes and tea."

"I'm glad you came," said the Prince. "It has been more fun for me than it has for you."

As he hadn't catch a bite, Nancy wondered what he meant.

Mister Blue Cap appeared then, and took them away.

When he closed the glass door behind them, the Twins looked back. But the Prince and the servants and the silver dishes were gone. There was nothing but the balcony with places set for three, and the view of the city on the hill.

And strangest of all, Mister Blue Cap himself had disappeared. In his place stood the tall guard that had promised to take care of them during their mother's absence. And the green shoes had gone too.

And there was their mother hurrying to them through a door.

"Are you tired waiting for me, dears?" she called. "I'm sorry, but I met some friends. I hope you have been looking at the pictures to put in the time."

"Oh, yes, we saw quite a lot of them," said Nancy. "The picture people came to life."

"They had been asleep," thought Mrs. Walton as she helped them with their wraps.

(To Be Continued.)

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TOM SIMS SAYS

A plumber's pipe dream is a dream of a broken pipe.

Absence of street cars doesn't make the heart grow any fonder.

The only army being considered by people this close to Christmas is the Salvation Army.

Bandits in Chicago got \$3000. Overlooked \$30,000. Shows you it never pays to hurry too much.

About all a rolling stone gathers is speed.

Only a few more months until we can have a good time cussing flies.

A profit is often without honor in its home village.

Father always learns what his Christmas present cost.

The FANGLE

LETTER FROM MRS. MARY ALDEN PRESCOTT TO LESLIE PRESCOTT—CONTINUED.

"Yes," answered Jackie, when Miss Perier inquired if he loved his mother very much. "I love her more than anybody in this whole world. I think I would die if she did not come back."

"Don't you love your daddy?" inquired Miss Perier.

"Yes," he answered hesitatingly, "but he's a man."

And then I heard Miss Perier say in a whisper:

"I'm afraid, Jackie, the time will come when you will understand that a man wants more loving than a woman." She continued in a louder voice:

"Jackie, don't you love any other woman? Don't you love either of your grandmas?"

You can see how intricately as well as persistently that woman was pumping the child.

Little Jackie did not say anything for a moment and she repeated:

"Don't you love either of your grandmas?"

Then she spoke:

"Jackie don't know Grandma Hamilton but my mother says he will love her. She is coming here tomorrow and I'm glad cause I know my mother will come home den. She wants to see her very much. Grandma Prescott is a very cross woman. She does not love Jackie at all. She loves Buddy and she kisses him, but she never kisses me. I don't care cause because she's a awful cross woman. She's cross to Hannah and to my mother and to little Jackie."

I am telling you this, Leslie, just exactly as I heard that child say it. Isn't it terrible that he has been so prejudiced against me. I know that Hannah must have drawn his attention to the fact that I never have been able to pay much attention to him, a child of unknown parents that you adopted, as to my own grandchild, for surely a baby of his age would never have realized it. I think as soon as you return, you should reprimand Hannah soundly for this. A woman who will poison

Is this your BIRTHDAY

SATURDAY, DEC. 12

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You are practical.

You solve problems easily.

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Don't be afraid to tackle large undertakings.

SUNDAY, DEC. 13

If so, you are ambitious.

At least overly so.

You must not let your ambition develop into selfishness.

Properly guided, it will bring you wealth.

You will love often.

You must watch your diet.

If not, you will suffer stomach troubles.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Ye pay tithe of mint an anise and cummin and have omitted the weightier matters of the law, judgment, mercy and faith; these ought ye to have done, and not to leave the other undone.—Matt. 23:23, 24.

It will not do to be saints at meetings and sinners everywhere else.—Henry Ward Beecher.

MANY "REDS" IN COUNTRY

Rock Island—Speaking at the installation of officers of the Rock Island post of the American Legion here last night, Scott W. Lucas, state commander, declared "there are 1,500,000 Reds in this country and our military forces should not be reduced for that reason, if no other."

RADIO BATTERY HEADQUARTERS

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New York—Month by month the picturesque coachmen with their phaetons, barouches and surries to rent seem to fade from the New York picture.

But one there is who gives no heed to the taxicab invasion and who is as well known on Broadway as the hugh electric chewing gum sign.

"Sippi," he is called, and he is Broadway's official hackman. Nobody seems to know the name of the old darkey, but actors, night club habitués, butter-and-egg men, and all the rest of the bright lights crowd have known him for years.

The story goes that recently "Sippi's" interest in horses spread to certain race tracks and shortly thereafter his Victoria and nag were missing from the street-of-streets. Inquiry revealed that the race track horses had not been as faithful as his own. The sad fact seemed to be that "Sippi" had had to put his famous outfit in hock.

"Sippi" appeared on Broadway, but on foot.

The tale continues that he met Al Jolson, the blackface comedian, told his tearful tale and departed smiling, happily, a check in his pocket.

Since that time "Sippi" can be found nightly waiting near the stage door at the close of the show to drive his benefactor wherever he may wish to go, and all the large backrolls on the street could not tempt the grateful old darkey away.

The scramble for land in Florida is as nothing to the scramble for theaters in New York.

Time was when certain theaters held their heads proudly above the mere mercenary viewpoint, and insisted upon some modicum of artistry. "Them days are gone forever," except for the "little theater" groups.

To break into Broadway one must use everything but a burglar's tools these days. Managers are no longer engaged in speculative chances. They must be insured against loss, no matter what the attraction. The advance deposits must be large and fat.

Because of this situation the greatest theater town in the world was astounded to learn the other day that one producer, George C. Tyler by name, had decided to go back to the old one-night-stand idea in order to find out if Sheridan's classic "School for Scandal" would still draw a crowd.

This is the first time Broadway has seen a one-night-stand since the cows grazed in Fifth Avenue.

—JAMES W. DEAN.

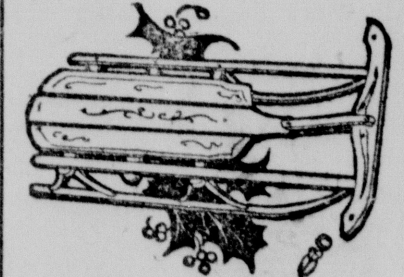
New York—See-sawing up and down Broadway I saw Korte Berle, he who planned the great Woolworth Building and who now watches the rising of that new giant, the New York Life Building, one the site of the old Madison Square Garden. And they do tell of how his people back in Norway wished him to follow the sea as had so many of his countrymen but, instead, he came to America and followed the skyline.

Saw Billy Rose, whom they called "the kid with the cap" when he went about writing songs. And having acquired some money thereat he attracted the attention of Bernard Baruch, the financier and political figure. And it is related that Baruch showed the song-writer how to play Wall Street whereupon Billy flourished financially, even as the Rose, and now will open a night club in Fifth Avenue patterned after the famous London Kit Kat.

Saw Walter Damrosch, the noted orchestra leader, and a most wise remark he was making about getting used to ultra-modern music and, as my memory serves me, it went like this: "The human ear is like the back of a donkey: if you beat it enough it will become insensible to pain."

Saw Jimmy Woods, who may be heard singing here and there about the town, and he was making a great stir in Tex Rickard's new garden singing, "Old Pal of Mine."

Saw Abo Attel, whose name once was to be found on any sport page as everybody knows, and he was at a night club engaging in a fake fight for the edification of the spectators and pretending to be knocked out, while on the sidelines watched Micky Walker and Teddy Hayes, whose



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names are replacing Attell's in the fickle sport world.

Saw four young women on the street and in the subway, and none of them wearing hats albeit it was a bitter cold night and they seemed to mind it not at all, but seemed most healthy and Amazonian, where as their male companions were wrapped with muffler and refer. And it set me again to wondering of these great changes that cometh over the sexes before my very eyes and to pondering what is befalling the virile he-man.

See great crowds trying to turn right into day, particularly of Saturday nights and they do tell me that on a recent night after a football game more than 20,000 people were turned away from leading night clubs for lack of space.

—JAMES W. DEAN.

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Good Thoughts for Good People

For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments; and his commandments are not grievous. For whatsoever is born of God overcometh the world, even our faith.

John.

We must bear our crosses; self is the greatest of them all. If we die in part every day of our lives, we shall have but little to do on the last. Deaths destroy the power of the final. O how utterly will these little daily dying.

Fenelon.

I came, saw and overcame.

Shakespeare.

I shall try to correct errors when shown to be errors, and I shall adopt new views so fast as the yshall ap-

pear to be true views.

Abraham Lincoln.
If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow me.

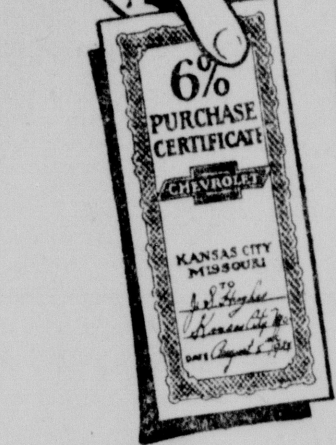
Christ Jesus.
Every false desire destroyed, every material wish denied, by so much adds to our moral stature. What seems a loss and a trial thus becomes a means toward the gaining of ultimate salvation, freedom from every constricting belief.

The Christian Science Journal

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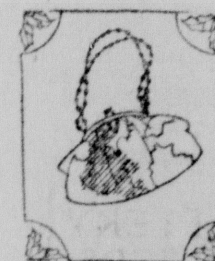
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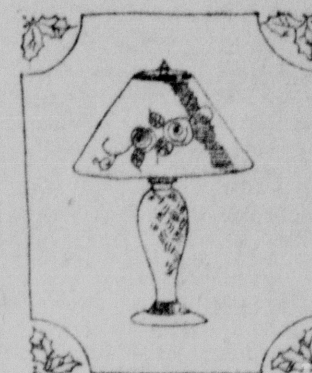
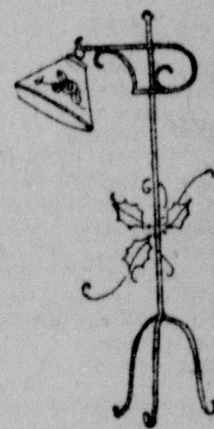
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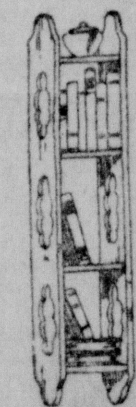


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DIXON'S DAYLIGHT STORE

BELOVED PRIEST LAID TO REST IN WEST BROOKLYN

Rev. Father Paul Halbmaier's Funeral is Held There

West Brooklyn—Al Brown will leave the latter part of the week for San Antonio, Texas, where he will visit with his brother. If he likes it down there he will continue to make his home there.

Mrs. Catherine Fassig was visiting with friends in Mendota Thursday.

J. A. Malone was here from Sterling the middle of the week and disposed of a truckload of apples.

George Wolf was up from Mendota the latter part of the week and called on friends and former neighbors.

Steve and Louie Sherman have left for their home at Ashley to spend the winter with their parents.

Clayton Elliott gets the high mark as a corn raiser. He filled his crib for the first time and then shelled out to make room for the balance and now is obliged to shell again before he can finish picking.

Mr. and Mrs. David Burkhardt were here from Sublette Saturday and visited at the home of their daughter Mrs. J. H. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Weber were here for a few days from Watford, Wis., visiting at the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Delhotel.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Jeanguenat were down from Dixon the latter part of the week and visited at the home of Mrs. Mary Graf, his sister.

William Schroeder has purchased a new coach.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sondgeroth drove to Peru Wednesday where they visited at St. Bede's College, where their son is in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoggard and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hoggard of Dixon were entertained for dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Gehant.

Adam Meyer returned to his home at Chicago Monday after spending a few days visiting at the home of Mrs. Mary Bieschke.

Frank L. Ayers was here from Miller, Ind., the fore part of the week and assisted moving his household goods to the upper story of the Mrs. Burz residence, to allow Irvin Knauer to take possession and who moved in the house on Wednesday.

Simon Cole was down from near Compton the fore part of the week announcing his sale. Sim has decided to quit and move to Compton.

E. E. Vincent drove to Dixon on business Saturday.

William Aughenbaugh, Elliott Henry and George Kessler have joined the radio fans during the past week.

Firemen do not overlook attending the meeting next Monday evening. The chief E. E. Vincent, promises his men a treat in the form of an oyster stew.

Mrs. Albert Reider was home from Odebolt, Iowa the latter part of the week to attend the funeral of her uncle.

Mrs. August Betner returned home from Aurora Wednesday after spending a few days visiting with friends and relatives in that city.

Mrs. Prosper C. Under entertained the ladies of the Domestic Science Club at her home Wednesday afternoon.

Henry Haefner took no chances of

getting stuck in the mud when he had business to care for here, so rode over on horseback from Bradford.

Paul Halbmaier and George Dingess each shipped a carload of hogs to market Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Untz, Sr., were called to Chicago the latter part of the week by the death of his sister, Mrs. Anna Nagle, who passed away while on a visit east. Mrs. Nagle had been here during the summer and spent several weeks with her brother and her death came as a shock. Mr. and Mrs. Untz accompanied the body to Hastings, Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. George Halboth drove to Sterling Sunday and visited with their daughter Miss Alice, who is attending business college.

Richard Sondgeroth returned Wednesday morning from a stay of several months at Ames, Iowa, where he had been working.

Ralph Ruckman was over from Amboy Tuesday and left literature for instructing school children in the art of banking.

The ladies of the Daughters of America held their annual election of officers last Thursday with the following results: Mrs. Isabelle Meyer, president; Vice Grand, Margaret; Mrs. Hazel Gehant, Secretary; Mrs. Marie Gehant, Historian; Mrs. Mae Morrissey, Monitor; Mrs. Mabel Chacon, Treasurer; Miss Irene McCrea, Proprietress; Mrs. Kathryn Henkel, Organist; and the trustees were, Miss Thressa Jeanblanc, Mrs. Anna Glaser, Mrs. Gladys Walter, Mrs. Hildegard Longbein, Mrs. Kate Henkel, Mrs. Tenn Michel.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Biggart drove to Dixon Sunday where they visited at the home of his brother, Eugene and family.

Mrs. Raymond Jacobs entertained the "500" club at her home Monday evening where a most enjoyable time was held.

B. J. Long got desperate when it looked as if the graveling would have to stop for lack of workmen and donned overalls and went to work shoveling crushed rock.

F. W. Meyer was an early passenger for the city Wednesday morning where he spent the day on business.

John M. Bittner was up from Shaws Wednesday calling on his many friends.

Oscar Hand turned over his milk route to the Paw Pay man for a few days when his truck went dead. He drove a new one home Wednesday from Dixon and resumed his task.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Full and family were here from Sublette Tuesday and spent the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Meister.

Edward Painter was in town from the vicinity of Ashton posting sale bills having decided to quit farming and move to Elgin.

Word was received from William Steil at Howard, South Dakota that the weather was very cold and he is busy picking corn.

Charles Guffin drove to Mendota on business Tuesday.

Herbert Miller returned home from Chicago Tuesday after delivering a large shipment of poultry.

Miss Luella Gordon returned to her home at Ottawa the fore part of the week after spending two weeks here with friends and former neighbors.

Mrs. Mary Graf went to Dixon Thursday for a few days visit with relatives.

SOMEbody's MOTHER

I was standing on a corner, in a city not long ago,

Watching the crowd of shoppers as they hurried to and fro.

Some with bundles laden as they slowly trudged along,

While others smiled and chatted, or hummed some verse of song.

I looked around and noticed, an old lady in distress,

Eating Dinner 4500 Feet Up



Six Detroitters are shown above enjoying the strange experience of eating dinner 4500 feet above the ground—and eating it in style, too, with a chef and head waiter from the Book-Cadillac hotel to serve it. The dinner was served in the cabin of a new passenger plane built by H. C. Fokker, famous Dutch airplane manufacturer.

Who had fallen to the sidewalk, she was weak and poorly dressed.

A group of youths came passing by, and one said: "Look, what's here?"

"It's just a beggar," another said, and continued with a sneer.

"Just let me rest," the woman said, "I'm tired out that's all."

I've walked a good long ways today, I did not mean to fall."

Bring her in here, a kind voice said, and let her rest you may.

Till she feels stronger, to continue on her way.

For she's somebody's mother, out in this world alone,

Probably seeking a loved one, who around this world does roam.

So let us not be hasty, to condemn poor souls who fall,

For in time of need, we all take heed, That Mother's the best pal for all.

Edward Refnsch, West Brooklyn, Ill.

OBITUARY

(Contributed)

Rev. Father Paul Halbmaier of the Archdiocese of Chicago, died at St. John's Sanitarium, Hot Springs, Ark., Sunday, Nov. 29, closing a life of three score years and ten, forty seven to which were spent in the work of the Sacred Ministry. He was born on the 28th day of February, 1855 at Birmingham on the outskirts of Amboy, the son of Frank Halbmaier and Dorothy Kuchna.

When a boy he entered St. Francis College, Milwaukee. After completing the preparatory and collegiate courses of studies, was admitted to St. Francis Seminary in that city and took up the study of philosophy and theology. Bishop Foley of Chicago ordained him a priest on the 24th day

of June 1878. Those who knew him in his seminary days recall his gentle kind and amiable character and recount the various occasions, when his happy smile and cheery disposition, dispelled the trials and difficulties of those early days. During his many years in the Sacred Priesthood he labored in Lamont and in the early 80's had charge of the churches in Maple Park, Virgil and Elburn, frequently making the trip from Maple Park to Elburn on a hand car. He spent a year in charge of the parish at Kankakee and for 17 years labored in the parish at Menominee. About the year 1905 he was transferred to Blue Island, Ill., and remained there as pastor until 1909. In that year he sought the quiet of the Guardian Angel Orphanage and acted as chaplain of that institution for 7 years.

The hard work of a long and active ministry had undermined his health, and realizing that he could no longer fulfill the many duties which parish work would impose on him, he resigned his charge and spent the remaining years of his life in retirement. He is survived by his brother William of Flandreau, So. Dakota, and his brothers Frank and John of West Brooklyn.

Solemn requiem high mass was sung by Fr. Quinn at St. Mary's, West Brooklyn assisted by Fr. Eisenbacher of Chicago as Deacon and Fr. Brynnel of Hampshire as Sub-deacon. The sermon was preached by Fr. Quinn. Other priests present were Frs. Selt and O'Brien of Mendota; Fr. Solon of De Kalb, Fr. Dommermuth of Sublette, Fr. Keen of Prophetstown and Fr. Kreckle of Amboy. Burial was in the family

lot at St. Mary's cemetery, West Brooklyn.

How well and faithfully he labored in the long years of his ministry, the various congregations which he served will bear witness. The many who came from afar to pay their last tribute of reverence, love and devotion, and to carry away with them a sacred memory of the countenance of him, who was friend and Father to them, attest that this gentle, kind and amiable priest was truly a man of God.

We loved him in life; we shall not forget him in death. May eternal rest be his, they reward exceedingly great.

Brief Summary of Last Night's News

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

League invitation to United States for armament conference is ready at Geneva; White House spokesman indicates congress may have to pass on it.

Former New York State Assemblyman Benjamin Gitlow, serving sentence for criminal anarchy, is pardoned by Gov. Smith.

Wilmington stage roof collapses injuring twelve chorus members; workmen in New York building crash rescued after getting last rites during hours of imprisonment, one dead.

Seventeen Moro outlaws and five constabulary soldiers killed in fight to capture murderers of school teacher in Philippines.

"Who and what next?" asks French parliament as attacks on Finance Minister Loucheur's tax proposals become personal and fall of government is feared.

"Italy is in a permanent state of war," says Premier Mussolini after passage of bill to recognize Fascist unions only as "war measure."

Former President Machado is elected president of Portugal, succeeding Gomez who resigned Thursday because of ill health.

Sir Broderick Hartwell, "the rum-running baronet," reported to have lost millions in liquor seizures last spring, is bankrupt in London.

Death toll in Alabama coal mine gas explosion placed at 53, with 59 bodies recovered.

Frank C. Seestad, circulation manager of Kansas City Star, gets \$7,500 damage suits in libel suit against publishers who accused him of dealings with Germany during the war.

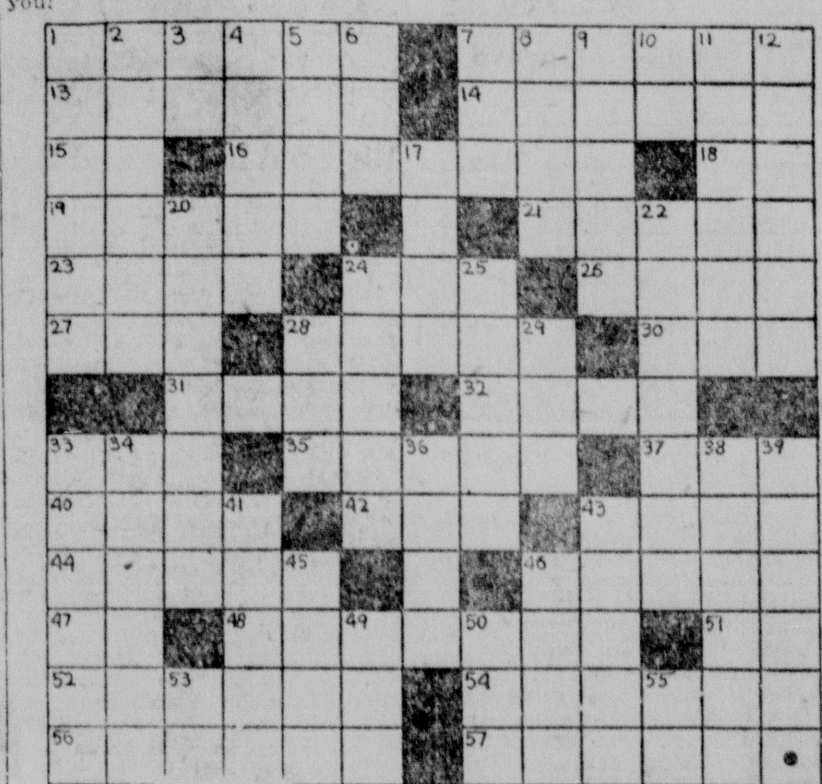
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CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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HORIZONTAL

1. A line of color.
7. To spatter water.
13. One who takes advice.
14. Abutment on an arch.
15. Mercurian dye.
16. Mistake in printing.
18. Solar disc.
19. To make even folds.
21. Scythe.
23. Slippery fish (pl.).
24. Humor.
26. Bird's home.
27. Opposite to wet.
28. Becomes dimmer.
30. Almost a donkey.
31. Remarkable.
32. Be below.
33. Silkworm.
35. Alluvial matter.
37. Self.
40. Tidy.
42. Female of the fallow deer.
43. Stomach of an animal.
44. Stalks of sugar.
46. Lac.
47. Alleged force producing hypnosis.
48. Paralyzed.
51. Point of compass.
52. To complain.
54. One who censures.
56. Eaten away.
57. Church officers.

VERTICAL

1. Molded.

2. Bank clerk.
3. Second note in scale.
4. Thoughts.
5. Saucy.
6. To mistake.
7. Was seated.
8. Fruit.
9. Clitic fruit.
10. Preposition of place.
11. To emphasize.
12. Blood pumps.
17. In the midst of.
20. Beautiful.
22. Those who are clothed.
24. Walked through water.
25. Concise.
28. Similar to a date.
29. Drunkard.
33. To applaud for additional songs.
34. A child's first book.
36. Ages.
38. Winner.
39. Landlords.
41. Moderately warm.
43. Yielded.
45. Sensible.
46. Roll of film.
49. Guided.
50. Small fish.
53. Italian river.
55. Myself.

FRENCH NOVELIST DEAD

Paris, Dec. 10—(AP)—Andre Beaunier, critic and novelist, died today.

Bend News Reported for Readers There

Bend—Earl Oakes of Humboldt, S. D., arrived Saturday morning to be with the Charles Rosbrook family for the coming year.

Our river road is very rough considering what it was heretofore.

Miss Paine and Mrs. Rosbrook spent Wednesday at the J. Parkhurst home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sheffield and Mrs. W. E. Sheffield attended the funeral of Miss Mary Brackus at Amboy Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Lawver of Grand Detour called on friends Monday.

Clark Young of Dixon was calling in Freeport recently.

Herbert Shoemaker of the Sinclair Oil company was in this vicinity Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bolthouse visited relatives at Mt. Morris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Chapman and daughter Helen visited with the Tryon Rosbrook family Tuesday evening.

Harney Lawver is chopping wood in the vicinity of White Rock.

W. E. Dusing has finished picking corn.

Harry Boush was in Oregon on business Monday.

FAST HOUSE BUILDING

London—A British construction firm, applying the principles of mass production to home building, has succeeded during a few weeks time in turning out a complete house every 30 minutes of a working day. The houses are roomy, workmen's homes built almost entirely of concrete. They sell for approximately \$2250 each.

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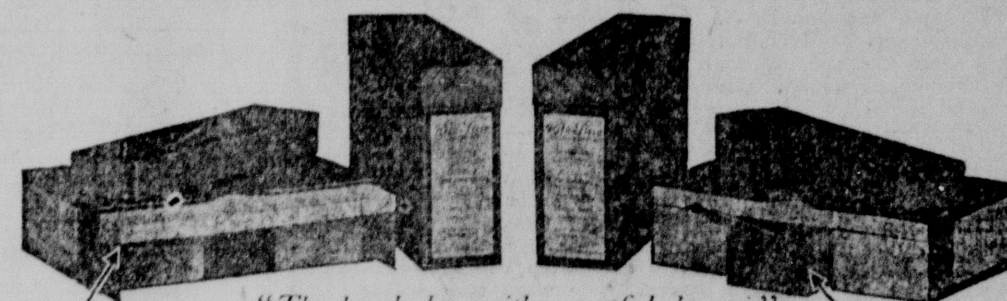
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SPORTS of all SORTS

BERLENBACH WINS VICIOUS BATTLE; RETAINS HONORS

Champion and Delaney Fought 15 Bloody Rounds Last Eve

New York, Dec. 12—(AP)—The world's light heavyweight ring championship crown still rests on the head of Paul Berlenbach, after a fiercely contested 15 round battle last night with the man who knocked him out in four rounds less than two years ago.

Jack Delaney of Bridgeport, Conn., was several times within reach of a sensational triumph over the Astoria, N. Y., fighter. But at the points when an aggressive offensive would seemingly have swept the champion to decisive defeat, Delaney hesitated and waited for his sorrow.

Floored for a count of three in the fourth and punched groggy in the sixth and seventh, Berlenbach closed in the last six rounds with a stirring rally which saved him the title. His margin of victory was close for a boxer, but at the ringside gave him only seven rounds to six for the challenger while they called two even.

Berlenbach Improved. Berlenbach proved that he had become a new and vastly improved fighter since his stunning defeat by Delaney in their first meeting. But the outstanding factor in his success was indomitable courage in the face of almost certain death—courage which bore him up under a grueling exchange as the blood flowed freely from the faces of the contestants and which enabled him to even the score of knockdowns by dropping Delaney in the twelfth.

After his impressive exhibition in the early rounds, Delaney, who coolly awaited for openings which failed to bring him an expected knockout, fired rapidly in the closing rounds and there was some question among ringside critics as to whether his long illness last summer and fall might not have been partially responsible.

After being floored in the 12th he was reeling under punches in the thirteenth and fourteenth, but stuck to his task gamely and finished fighting back strongly at the close.

Gate receipts were estimated at \$150,000 thus insuring ample reward for both boxers. Berlenbach weighed 173½; Delaney 166.

SPORT BRIEFS

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Knute Rockne, by phone from New York, emphatically denied to the Rev. Matthew Walsh, president of Notre Dame University, rumors that he would coach at Columbia University next year.

Another nationally known football star, in the person of Ernie Nevers of Stanford University, has left the amateurs to join the ranks of professionals, it is announced.

Delegates to the annual Western Golf Association meeting are in Chicago to plan for next year's tournaments and elect officers at tonight's session.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

Omaha—Bobby O'Shea, St. Paul, knocked out, Mickey Durane, Detroit.

Syracuse, N. Y.—Jimmy Slattery, Buffalo won by technical knockout over Patsy Motto, Albany, three rounds.

Denver—Eddie Mack, Denver, featherweight, won technical knockout over Henry Ford, two rounds.

St. Paul—Al Van Ryan, St. Paul, featherweight, defeated Jackie Conway, Minneapolis, six rounds.

New York—(Preliminary)—Pat McCarthy, Boston, beat Max Riley, negro light heavyweight, Peru, six rounds; Harry Mays, Bayonne, N. J., won from Andy Palmer, Philadelphia, four rounds; George Cook, Australia, beat King Solomon, Panama, ten rounds.

Memphis—Pal Moore, Memphis, bantam, beat Harold Smith, Chicago, eight rounds.

San Francisco—Jack Silver and Tommy Cello, San Francisco lightweights, fought a ten round draw.

Toronto—Bobby Eber, Hamilton, Ont., won back the Canadian bantamweight championship defeating Vic Foley, Van Couver, B. C., in ten rounds.

State Champions Open

Season With a Victory

Elgin, Ill., Dec. 12—(AP)—Elgin high school, state champions the past two years, opened their 1925-26 basketball season here last night in a 28-6 victory over Austin High of Chicago. The Elgin lights defeated Austin seconds 30-14.

Douglas Mills, allstate forward, was the outstanding star for Elgin, scoring 5 baskets. Elgin only led 7-6 at the half, but went ahead in the third and fourth periods. December 18 Elgin plays Harrison High of Chicago.

WIDOW GETS COMPENSATION

Elgin—Mrs. Marie Fargo, widow of William Fargo, was allowed \$3,750 under the workmen's compensation act. Her husband died of injuries received in a gravel pit while working for the village of Grafton.

Ends Lead Next Year's Captains "Big Ten" Squads

Chicago, Dec. 12—(AP)—Wingmen are in a majority among the captains who will lead next year's Western Conference football teams, reversing this year's practice, which favored half backs and centers.

Backfield men elected to pilot 1926 eleven are men whose records were outstanding during the season just closed. Friedman of Michigan and Harmon of Washington are the quartet leaders as a result of their showings; while Karow, Ohio State "Moon" Baker, Northwestern and Marks, Chicago, complete the list of back field chiefs. The roster:

Minnesota—Roger Wheeler; Minneapolis, end.

Iowa—Paul Smith; Waterloo; end.

Purdue—Thomas Hogan; Waltham, Mass.; end.

Illinois—"Chuck" Kassel; Melrose Park; end.

Indiana—Frank Sibley; Gary, Ind.; end.

Wisconsin—Doyle Harmon; Mitchell, S. D.; quarterback.

Michigan—Benny Friedman, Cleveland; quarterback.

Northwestern—"Moon" Baker; Rockford; halfback.

Chicago—"Wally" Marks; Chicago; halfback.

Ohio State—Marty Karow; Cleveland; fullback.

HESS BOWLERS ANNEX SERIES WITH PENN OIL

Although Out-totaled They Won Two of Three Games

Bowling in big league form, the Hess Garage team succeeded in annexing two out of three games from the Penn Oil crew Thursday evening at the Pastime alleys in the city league series. While the Penns rolled the highest number of pins for the three games, Hess and his stars swept off the first two contests by comfortable margins rolling more than 900 pins in each game. Elliott rolled the high score of the evening with 237 pins and also was high in averages with 224 pins. The result of the contest was as follows:

Hess Garage—			
Hess	198	147	162
Elliott	212	237	225
Hefley	141	159	129
Duffy	155	195	165
Missman	208	180	157

Totals 934 918 848

Grand total pins, 2,700.

Penn Oil—

Chapman 188 | 176 | 192 |

Moerschbacher 178 | 177 | 182 |

Potter 167 | 166 | 168 |

Thompson 168 | 178 | 197 |

Lucas 177 | 192 | 231 |

Totals 878 890 973

Grand total pins, 2,741.

High scores which have been rolled on the alleys this week were far above those for many months past, some of which are as follows: Missman, 278, 220, 230, 208, Hartzell, 243, 238, 225, 267, Rosbrook, 244, 236, 235, 207; Peters, 242, 229, 222, 207; Lucas, 236, 235, 224, 223, 231; Elliott, 234, 213, 224, 237; A. Hefley, 238, 212; Chapman, 235, 224, 219; Fallstrom, 234; Thompson 206; Moerschbacher, 212; Potter, 204, 211; Wells, 220, 204; Root, 210, Caldwell, 211; Worley, 206; DePoe, 215; Hess, 231, 205, 202; Adams, 200, 201; G. Hefley, 219, 202; Duffy, 226; Whitman, 204; Vale, 212; Hoover, 12; Schrock, 202; Wetzel, 226, 210; Carnes, 247; J. Valle, 263; Fitzsimmons, 210; Sheffield, 210.

USUAL TRADING OF PLAYERS AT BASE BALL MEET

Owners of Big League Teams Adjourned Annual Meet

New York, Dec. 12—(AP)—The annual session of baseball club owners is over and the usual number of player changes is one result.

Miller Huggins, New York Yankees, smiled as the annual sessions ended. The word was passed about that Huggins had been successful in obtaining Bob Ehmke, Red Sox pitcher who formerly worked for Detroit. Rumors have Aaron Ward, second baseman, and Waite Hoyt, pitcher, going to the Red Sox in exchange. Hoyt formerly pitched in Boston.

The Cubs obtained Maurice Shanahan, Louisville shortstop, and Joe Kelly, Toronto outfielder. The Pirates released Preco Thompson, second baseman, to Buffalo. The Cincinnati Reds sold Neal Brady, pitcher, to Buffalo and released Harry Tope, first baseman, to Greenville, S. C.

Bucky Harris, Washington manager, told the assembled magnates that he expected Everett Scott to retire from baseball any time and also that Roger Peckinpaugh would play short stop for the Senators next season.

George M. Weiss, owner of the New Haven club of the Eastern League, announces Eugene Martin, veteran outfielder of New Haven, will go to the Birmingham club of the Southern Association.

Nurses record sheets may be purchased at the Evening Telegraph office.

GRANGE OUT OF GAME; HIS ARM BADLY INJURED

Disclosed Injury Had Been Giving Him Trouble Before

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 12—(AP)—Harold Grange, auburn-thatched football star, will not play with the Chicago Bears when they meet the Detroit professional football team here today and what is more, he will not even show himself to the crowd in his uniform with the famous "77" on it.

Instead, the former Illinois star will sit on the side lines in civilian clothes and watch his mates with his arm in splints.

Grange arrived last night with the Chicago team from Pittsburgh and after examination by a hotel physician, it was announced that a blood clot had formed and danger of it traveling through the system. During the examination Grange sat on a bed in his hotel room answering the doctor's questions in a listless manner and constantly rubbing the injured arm. He said he had first felt the injury in St. Louis, but thought it only a bruise.

It bothered him constantly at Boston, he said and at Pittsburgh he wanted to stay out of the game but went in not to disappoint the crowd.

The football star looked worn and haggard and when the doctor told him the arm must be put in splints he replied:

"All right, put it in splints; do anything so I can get some sleep. I haven't had a bit of sleep for two nights because of the pain in my arm."

The physician found the upper part of Grange's injured arm swollen twice the size of his other arm. The arm was broken out with red spots along its entire length and at the back of his shoulder was a lump described as twice the size of a hen's egg.

NEWS FROM DIXON

SHOE MAKERS IN GAY TIME AT Y. THURSDAY NIGHT

Factory Workers Had Exceptionally Fine Entertainment

The Brown Shoe Company's big night at the Y. M. C. A. was a great success. The whole building, from the basement to the attic, was turned over to employees of the company, in order that they might have a real good time. Members of the "Y" who work at the factory had charge of the program. The big time started at 8 o'clock, when two basket ball teams, captained by Stutz and Burgard, went on the floor. Stutz team had the advantage from the start but had to fight every minute to win by a score of 14 to 6. The thrill of the evening came in the last quarter, when Cleary heaved the ball from the middle of the floor, with the intention of it going to some one who could handle it better than he could; much to everyone's surprise, the ball dropped through the basket, just as it was intended that it should.

Following the basket ball game, a series of boxing and wrestling bouts were held, interspersed with some novelty stunts. The boxing bout between Boyd and Willard was good, but the wrestling matches were slow. The reason for this slowness was the poor condition of those who had that part to perform.

Two bowling teams went into action immediately after the activities on the gym floor. C. Reisinger, Lowery, Stultz, Gilbert and V. Reisinger composed the team which defeated Smith, Sykes, Pius Burgard, E. Jones and C. Burgard.

Several of the men who did not watch the bowling went in for a swim and still others went to the billiard and game room.

Another Brown Shoe Company Night is to be arranged for in the early part of January.

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Grade School Basket Ball Tournament is On

The Grade School basket ball league started Thursday when the E. C. Smith team swamped the St. Mary's by a score of 14 to 0.

E. C. Smith's second string played the entire first half scoring two points by a field goal. In the second half, St. Mary's was worn out and during the last quarter the Smith five scored 12 points. McReynolds and Flanagan broke even on the scoring, making six points each. Blackburn was responsible for the other field goal.

The game was refereed by "Haney" Glessner.

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the other items of business will be the election of officers for the coming year. Every lady of the church is urged to be present.

All those who have been assigned parts on the Christmas program will meet at the church Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

Our Christmas program will be given Sunday evening, Dec. 20.

First Presbyterian Church

Prentiss Hovey Case, Pastor

"Where a Welcome Awaits You."

Sunday, December 13th

9:45 church school. Reports from the Y. M. C. A. Conference at Champaign will be given by delegates.

10:30 Meeting of the Session.

10:45 Morning Service. Sermon, "The Christmas Spirit." Special by request—The Young Ladies Quintette will repeat the number of last Sunday.

Evening program that has been requested by many who heard them.

AN OPPORTUNITY NOT TO BE MISSED



A view of the Shore line of Grindstone Lake of The Court Oreilles Chain. It is on this property that Dixon Community Beach is located.

The Dixon Evening Telegraph is not in the real estate business. We do not want to make a penny profit on this transaction. We only desire to get new readers. To do this we are offering this extraordinary valuable premium.

The Dixon Evening Telegraph wants to give something worth while. Dixon Community Beach is the result of our best efforts to give our subscribers a cabin or camp site lot in a most attractive location for a summer home at a minimum cost, thus cementing the friendship of our readers for the Evening Telegraph more closely.

In submitting Dixon Community Beach to our readers we do so with a full realization that they expect to get the utmost at the very lowest possible cost—in fact for the proposition to be appealing to the greatest number, it must be offered without regard to the normal valuation in the same locality. We believe you will agree with us when we say that Court Oreilles Lake property combines low price with exceptional value and unusual opportunity for increase in value.

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Come to our office now and select your lots while you still have first choice.

ACT NOW--DON'T WAIT

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To take advantage of this wonderful opportunity you must subscribe to the Dixon Evening Telegraph for one year. Then you can secure a free and clear deed for a lot at Dixon Community Beach for only \$39.50—payable \$9.50 down and \$2.50 a month for twelve months. Each one year's subscription entitles you to secure one lot. No more than five lots to any one individual. No lots reserved. We suggest that friends come together and select adjoining lots. This is the big offer of the Telegraph to its friends and readers. You have this opportunity of securing one or more lots by simply coming to the office of the Dixon Telegraph and subscribing to the paper. Come today, or if you cannot call at the office fill out and mail to us the attached coupon. But above all things act, and act promptly, for as we said before, the best locations go to those who come first.

Easy Access to Lake and Parks

In platting this tract of land the entire beach from the water's edge back to the top of the hills adjoining both Grindstone and Court Oreilles lakes have been made into a public park for the use of the owners of any lots in the subdivision. All of the streets in the subdivision have been platted to lead in the most direct manner into these parks and to the lake, and many foot lanes have been set apart through the first two rows of lots, giving still more easy access to the lake parks.

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A Building Lot at Dixon Community Beach.

Use of the lake and beaches.

Exclusive use with other lot owners of the beautiful park adjoining both Grindstone and Court Oreilles Lakes.

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Please see that I get full information in regard to Dixon Community Beach, without any obligation on my part, as soon as possible.

Name.....

Address.....

Telephone.....



"Bobbed Hair"

A DAZZLING MYSTERY STORY BY

TWENTY FAMOUS AUTHORS

Copyright 1924-25, P. F. Collier & Son Co. and G. P. Putnam's Sons
"BOBBED HAIR" with Marie Prevost. A pictorialization of this story by
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SYNOPSIS

Connemara Moore was to have announced her engagement last night but stole away from her Aunt Lacy's Connecticut home. After hours of wild adventure she found herself at the farmhouse of David Lacy, on Long Island. Here Bing Carrington, who had pursued her, and unwittingly mixed up with rum-runners, has discovered her. He has renewed his suit but is interrupted by Lacy, who professes his own love for the girl. Connemara is non-committal and plays for time.

In his boyhood Salt had many times rattled off five hundred by fives in gay games of hide and seek. Now he solemnly intoned his five hundred by ones; and when he reached the half-thousand mark it occurred to him to add another stately hundred for good measure. There are times when it pays to be on the safe side.

At last he cleared his throat. Gingerly he reached for the bandage that darkened his vision. He lifted it almost timidly, for well he knew that Pooch's threats of wallops on the bean were not empty nothingnesses. For a moment he blinked dazedly at the sudden brightness of the sunlight. Then, still blinking, he made out that he was standing alone in what seemed to be the center of an interminable forest of scrub oak, one of those endless pancake stretches of inhospitable trees, too large to mow and too small to hew, which the real-estate prospectuses of Long Island always tactfully ignore. Salt blinked some more; then he began to think.

CHAPTER XVI—Continued
"I dug a hole in the sand and buried it over there by that piece of timber," she cried, breathlessly, her heart throbbing furiously.
"Tell me, have you ever thought of me since—?"

"And I marked the spot with three clam shells. Yes—here they are."

She was down on her knees, scooping at the sand with nervous, eager hands.
He stood over her, looking down not at the hole she was making, but at a small curl of soft auburn hair that had escaped from the bandage's rigid custody. Suddenly Connemara uttered a little cry, and lifted a very white, young face.

"Oh, Mr. Lacy! The—the money isn't here! It's gone!"

CHAPTER XVII

By Gerald Mygatt

The cold muzzle of a revolver pressed against the aristocratic neck of Mr. Saltonstall Cabot



His one controlling thought was to avoid another wallop over the bean.

Adams. A gruff voice spoke harshly.

"Now you count slow," it menaced. "You count all the way to five hundred, one count at a time, and if you know what's healthy for you you'll tick 'em off as slow as one of them there grandfather's clocks. Slower'n that, even. You just try to hurry the count and you'll earn yourself another nice wallop over the bean. D'ya want another? I'm askin' you."

Salt's head moved painfully in profound negation.

"A right, then. You play the game, and when you go to five hundred you're your own boss. Get me? You can take that there bandage off your lamps and beat it."

"But the others?" Adams protested dully. "I tell you I can't leave them. How do I know—?"

"A lot of books could be wrote about what you don't know," snarled the voice. "But to ease your mind, if you got any, I'll slip you the straight dope. The others, if you mean the skinny dame and the pint-size old geezer, is entirely O. K. They ain't goin' to be hurt any more than you are—that's providin' you count that five hundred. You do what we say, and don't worry about no others. Get me? A right—let's hear you start countin'."

Salt did exactly as he was bid. He strove to recall the leisurely measure of his own great-grandfather's timepiece, designed for an Adams by an Adam, and having recalled it he began, in a manner of speaking, to tick. It never occurred to him that this was an undignified procedure for a Saltonstall. His one controlling thought was a deep desire to avoid what Mr. Pooch had characterized as another nice wallop over the bean. He had had enough of being walloped over the bean. It had proved a form of massage of a most unsatisfactory

(To be continued)

TO MY FARMER FRIENDS.

Come in next time you are in Dixon and I will cheerfully tell you of the high-class insurance company I represent. Do not delay. Your barn, your house, your auto may burn with in the next 24 hours. Come before it is too late. Hal Bardwell, 112 East First St., Dixon, Ill.

The holiday season approaches. Order early your engraved Greeting Cards. Here you will find a very choice selection for the person of discrimination. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

PLAYING CARDS.

In our engraving department we carry beautiful Individual Monogram Playing cards with any 2 or 3 letter monograms desired. These make appropriate Christmas gifts. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

ENGRAVED OR PRINTED CARDS.

We have the most artistic and beautiful line of Christmas Greeting Cards we have shown here. You may purchase one or one thousand. Make your selection early. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

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The Way of the Maid



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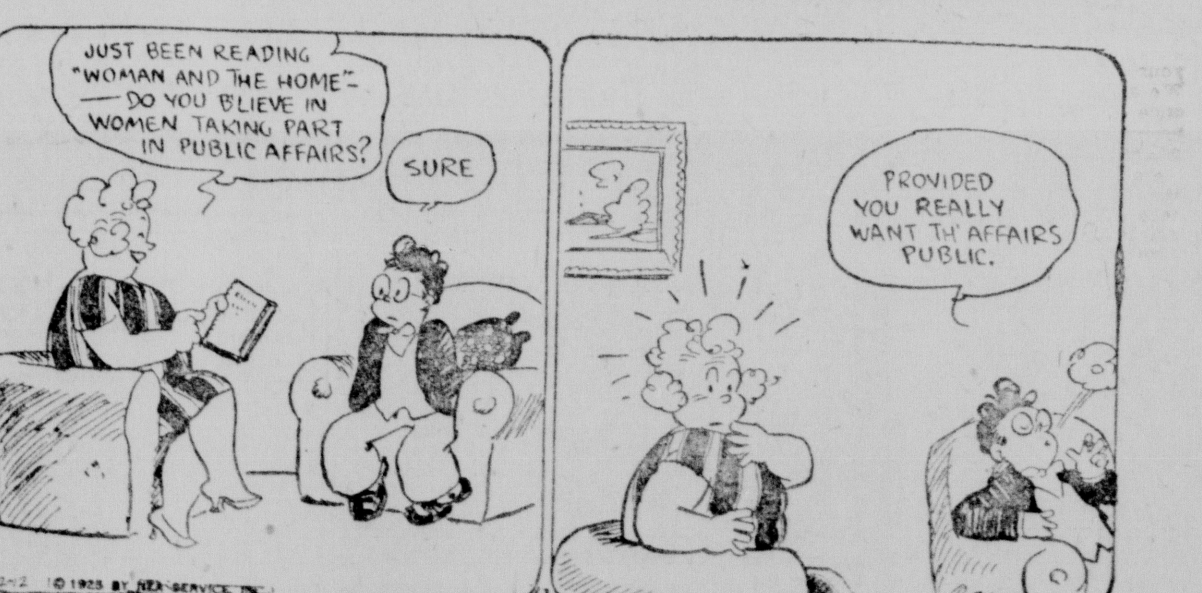


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All Classified Ads must be accompanied by the money. There are no exceptions to this rule.

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FOR SALE—Duplicate Bridge Scores, 25 and 30c a pair. Dixon Evening Telegraph.

FOR SALE—Auto and fire insurance. Come in and talk it over with me. H. U. Bardwell, Dixon, Ill.

FOR SALE—Florida land. If you are interested in the West Coast developments I will give you honest and reliable information. Now is the time to buy before prices soar. Ben T. Shaw, Crystal River or Homosassa, Florida.

FOR SALE—Nurses Record Sheets. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

FOR SALE—Engraved or printed Christmas Greeting Cards. Very unusual and beautiful in design and color. Order now while the selection is at its best. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

FOR SALE—Addressals make a very suitable gift for Christmas. They must be ordered early to assure delivery for Christmas. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

FOR SALE—Land in the Homosassa and Crystal River districts in Florida. If you are interested in a fair bargain write me. I ask only a fair commission. Fair dealings. Ben T. Shaw, Crystal River, Fla.

FOR SALE—To the particular housewife—white paper for pantry shelves and bureau drawers. Nicely done up in rolls, 10c to 50c. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

FOR SALE OR RENT—New 6-room house. Sun porch, modern, attractive lot, garage. Easy terms. Might exchange for house not modern. Also other houses for rent. Phone X868.

FOR SALE—Ideal Christmas presents. Well trained full note Seifert rollers, \$10 to \$25. Females, \$2 up. Pedigreed registered birds. Mrs. J. S. Ferris, 410 B Ave., Sterling, Ill.

FOR SALE—Poland China. Boars. Good husky fellows. Prices reasonable. D. T. Fitzpatrick. Phone Walton.

FOR SALE—Four tube IIA Radiola. New tubes; new battery. Price \$40. Also set of Ford chains. Oversize, new. A. Turner, 414 Boardman Place. Phone Y272.

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FOR SALE—Good 1923 model Ford coupe. Price reasonable. Otto Barr. Phone 312 on 6th, West Brooklyn, Ill.

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FOR SALE—120-acre farm in town of Marion. One mile north of Walton. Inquire of Ed. Dimpsey, Dixon, Ill.

FOR SALE—Good used cars: 1923 Chevrolet Coupe, 1922 Chevrolet Sedan, 1923 Dodge Sedan, 1923 Ford Coupe, 1924 Dodge Truck. Clarence Heckman, Dodge Agency, Phone 225. Open Evenings.

FOR SALE—Wooden boxes, various sizes. J. C. Penny Co.

FOR SALE—Fresh pork, butchered daily. Phone 135. F. M. Logan.

FOR SALE—Singer sewing machine, drop head, in good working condition. \$12 for quick sale; also several other makes of second-hand machines. Singer Sewing Machine Co., Dixon, Phone X389.

FOR SALE—1 Radiantfire gas heater for use in fireplace, like new; 2 Way-sagless bed springs, A1 condition; 1 iron bed, Vernis Martin finish. Call at 421 McKenney St. or Phone X947.

WANTED

WANTED—You to know that B. F. Shaw Printing Co. has a beautiful assortment of Christmas and New Year's Greeting Cards. Remember your old friends with a card this year. We all like to receive a word at least once a year from a friend.

WANTED—Dixon Telegraph subscribers to look at the little yellow tag on their paper. It serves as a receipt, tells the exact date to which your paper is paid. If your subscription is about to expire send check or draft to the Evening Telegraph.

WANTED—We are paying highest prices for all kinds of junk, hides, wool and old automobiles. Get our prices before you sell. We call for orders promptly and guarantee satisfaction. Snow & Wienman, Phone 81, River St.

WANTED—Orders for knitting sweaters, scarfs, children's garments, etc. Phone K1278. Mrs. H. B. Fuller.

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WANTED—Few washings and ironing. Also bundle washing. Phone Y374.

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FOR RENT—2, 3 or 4 modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping on Peoria Ave. Phone X1081.

FOR RENT—3 furnished rooms on first floor for housekeeping. Call at 612 S. Highland Ave.

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WANTED—Our subscribers to investigate the Accident Insurance Policy that they may procure as a subscriber to The Dixon Telegraph. Come in and see us, or confer with our solicitors.

WANTED—Experienced weavers. Reynolds Wire Co.

WANTED—Lady solicitor for high-grade well paying job. Right here among your friends. Big money for live wire. R. E. Bell, care Dixon Evening Telegraph.

WANTED—Man solicitor for high-grade well paying job. Right here among your friends. Big money for live wire. R. E. Bell, care Dixon Evening Telegraph.

WANTED—Experienced fine wire drawers. Reynolds Wire Screen Co.

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LOANS FOR DIXON RESIDENTS. The Household Finance Corporation, located at Freeport, Ill., is operated under supervision of the State and provides a place where you may borrow from \$10 to \$300 without having any one sign your note. Simply write us, giving address and amount wanted.

Our representative will be in Dixon every Friday and will be pleased to call at your home and explain our plan in detail.

HOUSEHOLD FINANCE CORPORATION, 206 Tarbox Bldg., Freeport, Ill. Telephone Main 137.

MONEY TO LOAN—On automobiles, household goods, pianos, horses, etc., farm machinery; either straight loan or small monthly payments. Will be in office evenings and all day Saturdays. C. B. Swartz, over Campbell's drug store.

A box of stationery is a very nice gift. Call and see what we have. B. F. Shaw Prtg. Co.

LOST

LOST—Strayed or stolen. Horse, age ten years, weight between 1100 and 1200 lbs., Friday, Dec. 5th. Phone 33220, J. E. Morrissey, Harmon, Ill. R1.

LOST—From College Ave. to Lincoln Highway, a wool blanket. Reward offered. Phone R1508.

SALESMEN WANTED

WANTED—Male help. Get pay every day. Distribute 150 necessary products to established users. Ex-tracts, Soaps, Food Products, etc. World's largest company will back you with surprising plan. Write The J. R. Watkins Company, Dept. K-3, Winona, Minn. Dec 12-14.

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

CHANCERY.

State of Illinois, Lee County.—ss. In the Circuit Court, January term, A. D. 1925.

Albert F. White, Complainant, vs. Albert S. Maxwell, Edwin P. Maxwell, Frederick J. Maxwell and Ward Miller and Jennie Maxwell Steiner.

IN CHANCERY.

Affidavit of non-residence of Albert S. Maxwell, Edwin P. Maxwell and Frederick J. Maxwell impleaded with the above defendants having been filed in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, notice is therefore hereby given to the said non-resident defendants that the Complainant filed his bill of complaint in said Court on the Chancery side thereof, on the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1925, and that thereupon a Summons issued out of said Court, returnable on the first Monday of the month of January, A. D. 1926, as is by law required; which cause is now pending and undetermined in said Court.

E. S. ROSECRANS, Clerk. Dixon, Illinois, Dec. 3, 1925.

E. H. Brewster and W. H. Winn, Complainant's Solicitors.

Dec 5-12-19-26

MASTER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Foreclosure.

State of Illinois, County of Lee.—ss. In the Circuit Court of said County. The Prudential Insurance Company of America, a corporation, Complainant,

vs. Emma McElroy, Administratrix of the estate of William J. McElroy, deceased; Emma McElroy, Pearl Davis, Loyal Davis, Cecile Close, Charles Close and Al Foster, Defendants.

IN CHANCERY. BILL TO FORECLOSE MORTGAGE. GEN. NO. 4428.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that I, the undersigned, Master-in-Chancery of the Circuit Court of Lee County, in the State of Illinois, by virtue of an order and decree of said Circuit Court, made and entered in the above entitled cause on the 13th day of November, A. D. 1925, in the September, A. D. 1925 term of said Court, to satisfy an indebtedness adjudged and decreed to be due to the complainant in the sum of SEVEN THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED FIFTY-FIVE DOLLARS AND SEVENTY-EIGHT CENTS (\$7355.78) together with lawful interest thereon from the date of said decree and costs of said suit and procedure, will on

MONDAY, the 22nd DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1925,

at the hour of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the North door of the Lee County Court House in the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, sell at public vendue, for cash in hand, to the highest and best bidder, all and singular, the following described premises and real estate in said decree mentioned, situated in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy said decree, to-wit:

All of the Southeast Quarter (S. E. 1/4) of Section Thirty (30) in Township Nineteen (19) North of Range Ten (10) East of the Fourth (4th) Principal Meridian containing One Hundred and Sixty (160) acres situated in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, subject to redemption as provided by law.

Dated this 5th day of December, A. D. 1925.

JAMES W. WATTS, Master-in-Chancery of the Circuit Court of Lee County, Illinois.

Dixon and Dixon, Solicitors for Complainant.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an Alias Execution issued out of the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, and State of Illinois, and to me directed, whereby I am commanded to make the amount of a certain judgment recently obtained against Clyde R. Boslough and Mayme Boslough in favor of George W. East of the County of Lee, Tenements, Goods and Chattels of the said Clyde R. Boslough and Mayme Boslough I have levied on the following described property, to-wit, the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of Section Ten (10) Township Twenty (20), North Range Eight (8), East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, in Lee County, Illinois.

Therefore, according to said command, I will expose for sale at public auction, all the right, title and interest of the above named Clyde R. Boslough and Mayme Boslough in and to the above described property, at ten o'clock a. m., on Monday the 28th day of December, 1925, at the North door of the Court House in Dixon, Illinois.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 24th day of November, 1925.

ELLIOTT C. RISLEY, Sheriff of Lee County.

Per Wm. J. Rose, Deputy.

Robert L. Warner, Attorney.

Nov. 28 Dec 5-12

Banning and Aid Made

Raid on Farm at Byron

Byron—Chief Deputy George D. Banning and Deputy Clifford McNames, Byron, found a quantity of liquor at the Milton Montgomery home on the Black Hawk trail north of Byron in a raid made Tuesday night. Montgomery is said to have been apprehended while making a sale.

He was lodged in the county jail in Oregon and will be given a preliminary hearing on possession and sale of liquor.

A SUGGESTION.

Call and see our beautiful Christmas Greeting Cards.

B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

SPINSTERHOOD

BEGIN HERE TODAY

BARBARA HAWLEY, 25, after teaching school three years, decides to go into newspaper work in order to see life.

When her fiancé, BRUCE REYNOLDS, objects, she breaks with him and gets a job on the Chicago Telegraph, of which ANDREW McDERMOTT, a close friend of her father, before his death, is managing editor. She almost involves the paper in a libel suit during her first day at the office, when she erroneously reports MORRIS PATTERHAM dead.

Barbara becomes a friend of BOB JEFFRIES, rough and ready police reporter, who promises to "show her the ropes."

On her second day at the office the West Plains Limited is wrecked near Chicago and 30 persons are killed.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER V

THE TELEGRAPH office sprang into instant activity.

Wells grasped his desk telephone, sent the office boy into the composing room, summoned reporters about his desk.

"Get Jeffries on the wire," he said to somebody, and then his eye fell on Barbara, who was lingering in the outskirts of the crowd. "Tell Jeffries to wait for Miss Hawley, and then shoot straight out to Bar Junction. Give me a call at once, and then work toward a second extra by 11 o'clock."

Barbara could scarcely believe her ears. She found herself walking toward the desk, however, and in a moment was receiving instructions.

"Well see what you can do, Miss Hawley," said Wells, looking keenly at her. "Jeffries will cover the fundamentals of the accident, from the straight news angle. You will pick up heart-throb notes among survivors and wounded. Get the one long human interest feature and give me the shorter sidelights you can. Write whatever you would read, if you were on the outside."

He was gone in a streak toward the composing room door, where the foreman was waiting for him.

Barbara took a step toward her desk. Her knees wobbled beneath her. But she went on.

As though from outside her consciousness came two voices. The society editor and a reporter were looking at her from a corner.

"Too bad Jensen is off," said the man. "This story would be pie for him. Golly, what a feature yarn he'd spin out of it. And Dollar and Jones both out on assignments too. Kinda tough on old Wells."

"Yes," said Miss Badger, not troubling to lower her voice. "That new girl can't get by on it. She looks like a total loss already."

Barbara stiffened. Miraculously, her knees stopped their queer knocking and her head felt cooler.

She grasped her hat and coat and a wad of copy paper, such as she had seen other reporters carrying. Then she ran for the elevator. Just before the door of the lift closed on her, Jimmy made a rush for it and thrust something into her hand.

"Wells says, 'Take a taxi!'" he shouted, as the door changed to.

In the lobby downstairs Barbara looked at the article that he had put in her hand. It was a taxi book. She picked up a cab at the door.

"The police station," she told the driver, "and hurry."

Ten minutes later she ran into the white marble hall of the police station, to find Bob Jeffries just starting for the door, watch in hand.

He grasped her arm without a word, and they ran out to the sidewalk, where the crazy racing car stood at the curb. In a moment they were flashing through the city streets, over a bridge and out into open country. It was not until they

had settled down to a steady speed that Bob tried to talk.

"Listen, Miss Hawley," he said to Barbara. "Now's your chance. Can you stand blood and things?"

Barbara uncertainly nodded her head.

"Well, you'll have to, because this smash-up is one of the worst in years. I'll do all I can for you, but if we get separated, you'll have to go ahead, pick up all the names you can, and the stories of families separated, and so forth. Anything you see that has a human-interest punch in it, put it down. But get NAMES and INITIALS and stay as

close as you can. If you keep very busy you won't have time to faint, as the other girl did."

Barbara's eyes snapped. "Faint?" she tossed back. "Of course I won't."

Bar Junction was some 15 miles from town, and the racer pulled into sight of the wreck just 20 minutes after Bob and Barbara left the station.

The wrecked trains lay just over a hill, and the scene flashed across Bob and Barbara's vision, like a canvas suddenly dropped before them. Barbara had a confused idea about Armageddon, steel and fire and sudden death. She did not stop to unravel it.

Before her eyes lay a mass of twisted machinery, with great jagged fingers of steel thrusting out, as though they pointed an accusation at the skies.

The mammoth engine of the limited lay on its side, in grips with the smaller engine of the freight train. They looked to Barbara like two bulls dead, with locked horns.

The cars of the two trains lay in long ribbons down the tracks on either side, some overturned, some still on the rails. The last two pullmans of the limited had overturned and alighted down the banks of a creek, where they lay half submerged.

Barbara caught her breath. She followed Jeffries over the rough ground to within 20 feet of the engines. A brakeman approached them.

"No nightgowns allowed, sir," said the man. "We've got to get rid of this crowd." And then Barbara saw that people were coming up from all sides and numerous automobiles were parked roundabout.

"Bob Jeffries of the Chicago Telegraph," said Bob, "and this is Miss Hawley. What can you tell us about the wreck?"

The man's attitude changed instantly. He began a detailed and rapid account. Bob took notes on his wad of paper, thanked the brakeman and turned to the girl.

"They think there are still living persons in some of these coaches," he said. "Some, perhaps, half-drowned in those two coaches in the creek. I'll have to leave you. You find the survivors in that improvised hospital over there and meet me here whenever you are ready."

Barbara looked around for Bob. He was not in sight. At last she saw the brakeman, whom they had talked to first. He could tell her nothing of Bob's whereabouts. The racer was not where they had left it.

She had heard Wells speak of an extra by eleven. There was no time to be lost in looking for Bob. She must find transportation into town, on her own initiative.

At her left, a seely looking man was sitting in a striped Ford, lazily watching the workers. Barbara ran toward him. "Will you take me into town?" she called. The man looked at her insolently.

"Let's see your money," he said.

When she emerged, her face white and her hands gripping a sheet of scribbled notes, it was 15 minutes after ten.

She hurried up the long line of coaches, turning her head away from the wreckage. Up the line, workmen were still chopping through debris and helpers were carrying stretchers away.

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FRANKLIN GROVE NEWS ITEMS ARE TOLD FOR PAPER

Telegraph Correspondents Record Community Affairs

Ed. Beene, who supervises an air mail light at Harvey was a week end guest at the home of his mother, Mrs. Ritter.

Mrs. Mae Howard went to Chicago yesterday and will spend today buying new hats for her millinery store. She will return home tonight.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bloom a son, Dec. 5.

J. S. Tappkins was in Rochelle, Tuesday attending a meeting of the G. A. R. post, of which he is a member.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wicker and daughter, Miss Kathryn, of Glenn Ellyn, were week end guests at the home of his sister, Miss Flora Wicker.

Mrs. H. A. Dierdorff went to Chicago Monday for a few days visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Emmert.

The Kilo Club will meet December 15 with Mrs. Kathryn Cover, Roll call—Christmas Carols; Reader—Mrs. Anna Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gross were Rockford visitors Monday.

Mrs. Pauline Aultenburg attended the funeral of Miss Sorbie in Dixon, Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Canode of Oregon was a week end guest at the home of her father, A. B. Naylor. Tuesday she left for her new home in Iowa, where her husband will conduct a lumber yard.

The bazaar and food sale held by the Presbyterian ladies Saturday afternoon and evening was very well patronized. The ladies realized over \$150.

Services in the Methodist church next Sunday in the evening at seven o'clock. In the Presbyterian church 10:30 and 7:30. Sunday school in all at 10:30. In the Brethren church the churches at 9:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Lehman of White Rock near Dixon are spending today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Trottnow.

Mrs. John Morris and daughter of the Kingdom near Dixon are greeting Franklin Grove friends today.

Friends here received word of the death of Mrs. Mary Mathews at San Francisco, where she was visiting, Sunday, Nov. 22. Funeral services and burial were at San Fernando, Calif., Nov. 24, at the age of 68 years.

Arba Mathews, her only child and son was with her at the time of her death which was very sudden, due to heart attack. Mrs. Mathews had a host of friends in San Fernando where she was secretary to the Chamber of Commerce. The floral offerings were many and beautiful.

Mrs. Mathews will be remembered by the older ones as Mary Zug, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Israel Zug, former residents of this place.

The annual meeting of the Franklin Grove Library Association was held in the library building, Monday evening, with an attendance of eighteen members. The meeting was presided over by the President, Mrs. Hannah Conlon. The minutes were read by the Secretary, Mrs. Edith Morgan.

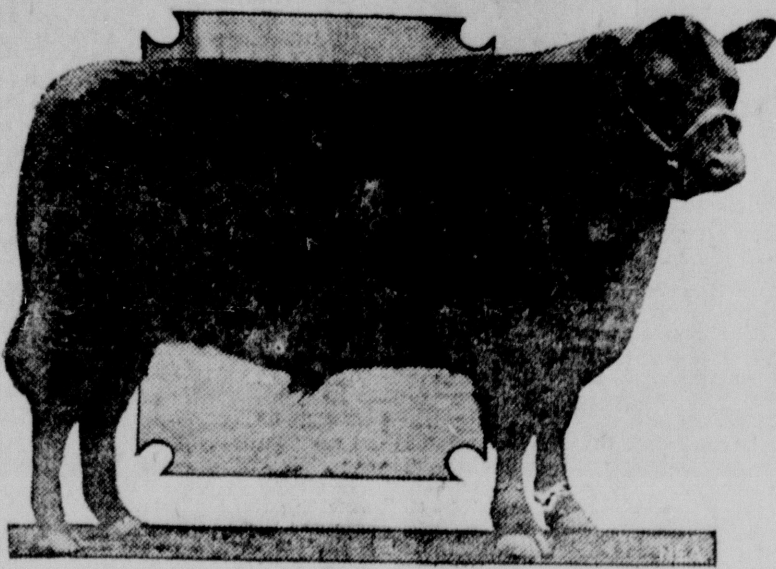
The book committee reported the purchase of 160 new books during the year, of which 77 were adult fiction, also subscriptions to three magazines, 54 juvenile fiction, 29 non-fiction, 29 children's magazines. The library now has a total of 2,189 books on the shelves.

Miss Clara Lahman will begin her services as paid librarian on January 1 with a new order of books on hand. The library board is requesting each member of the library to bring a list of several books which he or she would like to see in the library. A box will be placed on the librarian desk to drop the list into. In that the book committee will be enabled to get an idea of the reader's choice and can be governed accordingly. The treasurer, Mrs. Nellie Stewart, reported a balance on hand of \$116.76 on December 7.

The election of officers was held resulting as follows: President—Mrs. Edith Morgan. Vice President—Mrs. Hannah Conlon. Treas.—Mrs. Nellie Stewart. Secretary—Mrs. Minnetta Moore.

The president has appointed the following committees for the ensuing year: Book Committee—Mrs. Eliza-

He Wins—But He'll Be Steaks



Mah Jong was champion steer of the International Live Stock Exposition in Chicago. But at the conclusion of the show he was sold to Armour & Co., for the Biltmore hotel in New York—at a record price of \$3 a pound, a total of \$4680. This is the highest price ever paid for a champion steer. Mah Jong'll be eaten at a holiday banquet.

Guests at the Lincoln home to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Woods.

Commencing next Monday night the Kelley and Peterson dry goods store will remain open each night until after Christmas. The stores on our main street are looking very nice in their Christmas decorations. The business is very good thus far.

Lawrence Sunday of Glenn Ellyn spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sunday.

Mrs. Jacob Alphant is visiting relatives at Burlington, Iowa.

Mrs. George P. Herman and two children moved Monday to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hahn, where they will remain during the absence of Mr. George P. Herman.

Lyman Wilson and son George left yesterday for their new home in Maryland. They were accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Fannie Wilson who has been visiting here for the past several months.

Galen Naylor of Glenn Ellyn was a week end guest at the home of his father, A. B. Naylor.

Mrs. Charles Collins was taken to the Dixon hospital yesterday where she will remain for sometime taking treatment.

The Young People's Weekly of December, a Sunday school paper contained a picture of the members of the Friendship Class of the Methodist Sunday school, an article descriptive of the class, written by Miss Ethel Kay of Dixon accompanied the picture.

This class was taught for many years by Mrs. Emma Crawford and each year on her birthday the class gather at her home. The picture was taken on her eighty-first birthday. Owing to the infirmities of old age, Mrs. Crawford gave up the class work, and Miss Clara Lahman was appointed teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Crawford entertained with dinner Tuesday night, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gross, Mr. and Mrs. John Cover and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Gross.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hausen entertained the Bridge Club Thursday night, Mr. and Mrs. John Cover, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Stultz were invited guests. Head prize was won by Mrs. Will Crawford and George Stephan.

Consolation was won by Mrs. R. C. Gross and John Cover.

Mr. and Mrs. Medrie Hussey entertained with dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Mossholder.

Mrs. Will Phillips, Mrs. Sterling Wilson and their brother Freeman Shoemaker visited at the home of

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Willard moved the first of the week from the Anderson farm to the George Morgan farm.

The Spangler property in the north part of town where Walter Blank lives was sold to George Fruit, we are informed that an oil station will be built there this spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hill and family are moving today from the Minor farm to the C. Anderson farm.

George Peterman left Sunday for Springfield, where he will remain for sometime taking treatment for pulmonary trouble in Dr. Palmer's sanitarium. He was accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Zella Peterman and his brother, Atty. M. V. Peterman.

George has a host of friends here who will wish with him for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Woods of Lakeland, Florida, were Saturday and Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lincoln. Mrs. Woods will be remembered as Bertha Stiss, a former Franklin Grove girl. Mr. Woods conducted a drug store here several years ago. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dysart were also dinner

their cousin Mrs. Litteral in Dixon Sunday.

Mrs. Carrie Crawford expects to leave next Wednesday for Spokane, Washington where she will spend the winter at the home of her daughter Dr. and Mrs. C. Cryor.

Mrs. Frank Senger entertained the Priscilla Club Friday afternoon. The attendance was very good. During the afternoon refreshments were served. The Club will be entertained tomorrow afternoon by Mrs. Nellie Stewart.

Freeman Shoemaker, who has been visiting at the home of his sisters, Mrs. Will Phillips and Mrs. Sterling Wilson left yesterday for his home in Fairchild, Wis.

Miss Flora Wicker went to Chicago yesterday where she will remain for a few days visiting relatives.

Supervisor and Mrs. E. L. Lott and Miss Elsie Lott were Dixon visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Gladys Gross of Amboy visited Tuesday at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Loveland.

The Woman's Club met for the regular December meeting Monday at the home of Mrs. J. B. Thornton and daughter Miss Alice. The Roll call was "Don'ts which promote family happiness." If we could remember and practice all of the good advice given, ours would be a community of happy families, without doubt. A letter was read from one of the district officers, requesting a contribution of jams and jellies for the use of the disabled soldiers in the hospitals. It was voted that those who wished to give should take their gifts to the home of Mrs. T. W. Brown. The program was conducted by Mrs. Mary Morris, chairman of the department of American Homes as follows: A violin solo, by Mrs. F. J. Blocher, accompanied by Mrs. W. L. Moore at the piano. The ladies responded with an encore both of numbers were greatly enjoyed. Miss Alice Thornton gave a reading describing the calls of the Alpine horn in the Swiss mountains, which was most delightful. Mrs. Charles Sunday presented an article on the early history of Franklin Grove, which showed much study and careful thought. The paper was considered one of the best and it was voted to have the article printed, which we hope to do in the near future, which will prove very interesting reading.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bratton of West Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. George Ireland of DeKalb were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Frohs of Rockford spent Sunday at the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Frohs.

Mark Froese spent several days the past week in Chicago, on business.

Mrs. Bertha Ireland of Chicago is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. John Baker received word that his mother died Saturday and funeral was held Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Baker has just recently returned from a visit with his mother in Pennsylvania, so did not attend the funeral.

The American Legion Auxiliary Post No. 437 held an election of officers Tuesday evening, Dec. 3. The newly elected officers for the coming year are as follows:

President—Mrs. Aureola Spangler. Senior Vice Pres.—Mrs. Louise Stoll. Junior Vice Pres.—Mrs. Mary Mossholder.

Treasurer—Mrs. Ruth Hussey. Chaplain—Mrs. Drucilla Banker. Sergeant-At-Arms—Mrs. Maude Phillips.

Historian—Mrs. Edith Morgan. Mr. Clyde Phillips and daughter Miss Melba visited relatives in Dixon Tuesday.

The combined choir of the Ashton

ABE MARTIN



Boys 'I be boys, an' so 'I a lot o' middle aged men. Our idee o' wastin' shoe leather is chasin' a runaway wife.

and Franklin Grove Methodist Episcopal churches will render, on Sunday Dec. 20, the Sacred Cantata "The Light Eternal" by Rene Bronner and H. W. Petrie. It will be given in the Franklin Grove church in the morning and in the Ashton church in the evening.

Following is the outline of numbers composing the Cantata and the solo voices carrying the parts:

"THE LIGHT ETERNAL"
Organ Prelude
Mrs. W. L. Moore, Miss Lola Quick Chorus by the Choir

"Praise The Great Redeemer"
Tenor Solo and Chorus
"It Speaks To The World"
Mr. F. J. Blocher

Pass Solo and Chorus
"God Hath Given a Son"
Mr. R. W. Dean

Chorus for Soprano, Tenor and Baritone
Soprano, Women's Chorus—Miss Clara Bode, Harry Wisman, (Clara Bode, Elma Klingebid, Lena Bode, Lucille Stevens)

Trio for Soprano, Tenor and Baritone
"Star of Bethlehem"
Miss Lena Bode, Harry Wisman, Dr. Root.

Contralto Solo—"The Dawning"
Miss Lorene Crum
Tenor Solo and Quartet
"He Came to Give Salvation"
T. J. Blocher, Mesdames Ruth Kelley, Mayne Speck, Kay Sunday.

Soprano Solo and Chorus:
"Born In A Manger"
Mrs. Marjory Howard
Tenor Solo and Chorus:
"The Light of Glory"
Loyal V. Stiller

Duet for Tenor and Baritone:
"The Message"
T. J. Blocher, Chas. E. Sunday
Chorus by the Choir and Tenor Solo
"The Light of All the World"
Dr. Root and Choir

Soprano Solo—"Angel Voices"
Mrs. Helen Attig
Final Chorus—"Lead Me."
Combined Chorus

Director: Rev. Loyal V. Stiller, Pastor

OBITUARY
(Continued)
Mrs. Adalade Freer, the only

daughter of Dr. William and Emily Heffer, was born May 9, 1877, in Taylor township, Ogle County, Ill. She departed this life December 1, 1925, in the Augustana hospital, Chicago, being 48 years, 6 months and 22 days of age. Although she had been in ill health for considerable time, she had not been long confined to her bed.

Her parents, having moved to Franklin Grove when she was a young girl, her school life was principally spent in this place. During this period, both she and her only brother Clarence were received into church fellowship by the Methodist church, under the ministry of Rev. Stiff during the year 1887.

Adalade and William McGregor were united in marriage July 8, 1895, to which union was born one son, George W. McGregor, now in the Speedway Hospital at Maywood, Ill., suffering from the effect of overseas service during the World War.

She was again married in the year 1915 to Frank Bokenkamp at Port Arthur, Canada, who departed this life in the year 1920. No children were born to this union. September 19, 1922 Mrs. Bokenkamp was united in marriage to Walter Freer at Hutchinson, Kansas. After her father's death in October 1923, she remained for considerable time with her mother, caring for and comforting her in her bereavement. Adalade, apparently strong then, but not well, now is gone, and her aged mother called upon in sorrow to part with her only daughter. The deceased also leaves to mourn her demise, her brother, Clarence, of Ogle county, Illinois, and a number of close relatives and friends.

The remains were brought to Franklin Grove, Tuesday evening and taken to the home of her mother, where funeral services were conducted Friday afternoon by Rev. C. W. Lahman of the Brethren church. A quartette composed of Rev. Stiller, F. J. Blocher, Mesdames Harold Kelley and Clyde Speck sang several funeral hymns. The pallbearers were: L. A. Trottnow, E. L. Lott, F. H. Hansen, LaForest Meredith, William Phillips, and James Lincoln. Interment in the Franklin cemetery.

Supervisor E. L. Lott is attending the December meeting of the Board of Supervisors.

Give your news items to 102. We will appreciate any Christmas program that you may wish published. Kindly hand the same in by next Thursday morning that they may appear in the following Saturday evening paper.

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BY
E. R. Waite, Secretary,
Shawnee, Okla. Board of Commerce

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THAT in the minds of your progressive citizens is conceived its future greatness.

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MENDOTA WORKER INJURED IN RAIL MISHAP

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Struck in the eye by a large nail while working with a Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad company repair crew Wednesday, Lester Anderson, age 26, Mendota, was rushed to Rockford hospital, where an emergency operation was performed that may save the sight of his right eye.

Anderson was working with a crew repairing a bridge west of Rockford when a large nail he was driving with a hammer flew up and struck him in the eye. He was rushed to Rockford hospital, where surgeons performed an emergency operation, which to day was believed to have been successful.



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